

The Destabilization of the USSR: Anti-Fascist Archive #36 w/ Dave Emory (1991)

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This program analyzes the Persian Gulf War, U.S. covert action in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe and Reagan-Bush defense and foreign policies as coordinated elements of a strategy to pressure and destabilize Russia. The broadcast focuses on American promotion of resurgent fascist elements in that part of the world and the possibility that the American strategy might result in a return of the Cold War or the start of a third world war.

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Referenced a lot in this audio:

<https://archive.org/details/CovertActionInformationBulletinNo35TheCIAInEasternEurope>

A rough breakdown:

00:00:00 The USSR and the Gulf War, variety of news articles discussed

00:47:24 'The NED Meddles in Lithuania' by Philip Bonosky

02:28:11 'A Full Court Press: The Destabilization of the Soviet Union' by Sean Gervasi

03:44:00 Interview with Lanny Simkin, formerly of the Christic Institute, about US covert operations and the Gulf War

04:25:35 On the role of the US far right in the dismantling of the Soviet Union: 'The Free Congress Foundation Goes East' by Russ Bellant and Louis Wolf

05:46:15 Excerpts from AFA #1, about the Nazis and then the CIA/Gehlen Org working with collaborators among the Soviet population

06:35:30 Excerpts from AFA #14 on the World Anti-Communist League from 1986 (audio is not great but improves)

07:35:20 More on Paul Weyrich's 'Free Congress Foundation' with a focus on Eastern Europe as opposed to the USSR itself

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10:22:45 'The Loosening of Political Barriers' by Melvin Beck

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i'm going to give you a brief rundown of the first part of tonight's one step beyond broadcast uh then i'm going to get into the main body later of the broadcast we are going to begin for most of the evening this evening uh an archive series called the destabilization of the ussr prelude to world war three question mark and uh that will occupy the bulk of the broadcast this evening i will be continuing that archive series in weeks to come [Applause] this is the first installment of the destabilization of the ussr we're going to begin by taking a look at an article that appeared on the front page of the san francisco examiner on today today being sunday march 3rd of 1991 uh this deals with the us as the only superpower in the persian gulf we will use that as a point of departure we're then going to take a look at an article from the los angeles times of february 20th of 1991 talking about gorbachev's peace initiative vis-a-vis the middle eastern war and i'm going to talk about what i believe that represents as a political what that represented as a political phenomenon we will also note right next to that on the same paper uh a call for gorbachev's resignation by boris yeltsin which uh occurred at right about the same time next week we're going to go into boris yeltsin some of his connections to the american right and we're going to speculate about just what lay behind the timing of this particular comment by boris yeltsin following that we're going to take a look at an article from the san francisco chronicle of wednesday february 27 of 1991 which discusses something that i had alluded to in uh broadcasts in recent weeks namely the connection between the soviet diplomatic initiative and the fears and operations of the soviet military and this will serve as a point of departure for the main theme of tonight's broadcast which will carry over into next week's broadcast namely my belief that among other things

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namely my belief that among other things the us military adventure in the middle east and there are very firm indications which we will review next week that this was deliberately set up in advance that this represents uh part of a flanking maneuver against the soviet union which in my opinion is intended to not only destabilize the soviet union economically but perhaps produce a reaction a military reaction by the soviet union which would serve as a justification for the revival of the cold war in this country and following that we're going to take a look at uh the effect on soviet military perception of the striking military success by the us and its allies in the middle east from the los angeles times of friday march 1st of 1991 we're going to take a look at uh soviet defense minister dimitri yazoff's uh views concerning american military success and what he feels this portends for the soviet union basically although he does not feel that the iraqi defeat basically impugns the quality of soviet arms and tactics at the same time the success of u.s high-tech weaponry in his opinion and those of other soviet military analysts uh does indeed indicate that the soviets have some revisions to do but in particular vis-a-vis their air defense system and in particular it portends in their minds that the soviets should not significantly cut back military spending because they have got to stay up with the considerable high-tech developments achieved by the united states the soviets obviously are in very sorry shape economically unless they and also the united states can cut their defense budgets uh the current economic dominance of japan and germany would appear to continue and uh it is my feeling that uh the middle eastern war uh it may very well turn out to be the final spade full of earth on the economic graves of both the united

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the economic graves of both the united states and the soviet union uh that it is my feeling that uh the u.s military venture there uh will have this effect on the soviets it will maintain the high levels of soviet military spending that is likely to have a devastating effect on the soviet union and my feeling is that uh events in the baltics also are going to harden the soviet attitude and i think produce a soviet reaction which will then be used here in the united states for uh a justification for not only the renewal of the cold war but for a continued high level of military spending which although our economy is stronger than the soviets is going to have a devastating effect on us uh as well and uh for those people who are listening live on this march 3rd 1991 uh take note of the fact that this information will also incorporate into an upcoming archive series which i'm going to presage in a talk that i will be giving at foothill

college on april 13th of 1991 a saturday evening from 7 to 11 p.m that talk is entitled how the united states lost the second world war that talk and the information in it is going to be evolved into a very important archive series which will uh intersect with the archive series i'm doing on the destabilization of the ussr uh in addition to promoting high levels of or higher levels of soviet military spending with uh resulting damage to the soviet economy uh it is the view of some observers and we will go into this in an article from the san francisco chronicle of monday february 25th of 1991 that uh the credibility of soviet arms sales abroad will suffer as a result and that this also will damage the soviet economy by the way in addition to the article from the la times of march 1st of 1991 an article from the new york times of that same day march 1st of 1991 will further develop soviet views concerning

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further develop soviet views concerning the necessity for continued high levels of military spending in order to keep pace with the united states following that we're going to take a look at a very we're not going to take a look we're going to go into at considerable length and in considerable detail a very very important article concerning the meddling in the baltic states read destabilization of the baltic states in particular lithuania by not only the u.s national security establishment but specifically residual third reich elements which apparently came into this country under the auspices of the galen spy organization the nazi eastern front spy outfit which we have focused on for so many years on this broadcast and which the late may brussels focused on for so many years before yours truly this particular article comes from covert action information bulletins issue number 35. that quarterly uh is they do number 35 well it says 25 here on this page that's a misprint obviously it's number 35 and this is from covert action information bulletins issue for the fall of 1990 the article is entitled ned medals in lithuania its formal title nurturing baltic reaction by author philip abanovsky b-o-n-o-s-k-y we will go into this very important and very terrifying article at considerable length that will occupy the bulk of the discussion this evening after that we're going to take a look at two articles which appeared in the very same issue of the new york times that issue being february 26 of 1991 one of those articles deals with the dissolution of the warsaw pact the other article deals with the continuation and strengthening of nato possibly including the participation at some point in the future of some of the former warsaw pact countries in eastern europe which have left the soviet orbit uh if that happens and there are people who view that as happening i think the dissolution of the warsaw pact in combination with the perpetuation of nato uh may very well represent an eastward march

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represent an eastward march uh by the nato countries which is analogous in certain respects to the manner in which hitler was allowed to grab territories without a shot prior to the opening shot of world war ii i think there is an ominous and quite deadly parallel or potentially deadly parallel between what we are seeing now in eastern europe and the middle east and what transpired in the years prior to the second world war i hope i'm wrong but i'm afraid i'm right you will be able to evaluate that for yourself after a short musical break as we come back with the main body of tonight's broadcast the destabilization of the ussr a prelude to world war iii and we're going to begin by taking a look at some of the outgrowth of the middle eastern war i don't know whether you would call it the iraqi war the kuwaiti war or whatever it is there are numerous indications we have talked about them in the past and we will be reviewing those in the future that the iraqi invasion of kuwait was deliberately induced it is my opinion that this move was planned for some time uh it should be noted as i have mentioned many times in the past that when the united states national security establishment that is to say its military and its intelligence services decide to move on any given issue they do so when it will scratch a number of different itches simultaneously at different levels my feeling is that the moving of the middle east by the united states and there are substantive indications as we will look at next week that this was planned in advance uh that it did a number of different things among them obviously it brought tremendous profits to the oil industry uh oil prices shot up following the iraqi invasion of kuwait i wonder to what extent too the increase in oil prices serve to provoke pro-war sentiment in this country uh you raise gas prices

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the pump that raises the temperatures of the average american considerably and i wonder how much of the yellow ribbons in american flags we're seeing uh represent the psychological response to the huge increase at uh the gas station uh something i think that we could view as food for thought and grounds for further research proposed budget cuts in the military budget the defense budget in the united states were forestalled although the uh military budget was reduced it was not reduced nearly as much as it would have been the political fortunes of george bush obviously have received an enormous boost and uh there are other things as well that were accomplished by the u.s movement in the middle east one of the things that uh benefited george bush's political fortunes is that this country's perilous economic situation has been eclipsed at least for the time being by u.s military adventure and success in the middle east and last but not most assuredly not least and most importantly for the purposes of the discussion this evening the us military adventure in the middle east has placed a large military force on the soviet union southern flank it remains to be seen how long some of that force remains there at the very least uh the political makeup of the middle east is going to be fundamentally transformed and any future us military move into that part of the world figures to be greatly facilitated by the almost certain increased pro-us political sentiment that is going to stem from us military success in that region i'm going to talk more about what i feel represents in essence and perhaps in fact a u.s flanking maneuver against the soviet union's southern flank here in just a minute i'm going to initiate the discussion this evening by reading a short section of an article from the san francisco examiner from sunday march 3rd of 1991. this particular article appeared on the front page of the san francisco sunday examiner it's an article by ray mosley

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examiner it's an article by ray mosley m-o-s-e-l-e-y of the chicago tribune it's datelined in amman jordan and it's headlined u.s facing tough job as a gulf power it reads in part with its spectacular victory over iraq the united states has assumed the burden of dominance in the middle east no other nation will have such a pivotal role in the future of the region certainly not the soviet union which tried and failed to shape the outcome of the war to suit its own interests the united states is indisputably the only superpower that counts in the middle east that of course will do a number of things obviously in addition to the other uh goals achieved by the us movement in the middle east uh it will facilitate a u.s military move to protect uh the oil reserves of that region it remains to be seen how many u.s military people remain in that part of the world certainly they will there will be a u.s military presence there for some time to come uh beyond that i think it sends a very clear message in the first place to third world countries that might attempt in the future to militarily challenge the united states or the other so-called western democracies uh the bombs that fell on iraq certainly uh must have had a telling effect on any other country that might think about standing up to the united states militarily in the future in particular third world countries but also to a certain extent the soviet union and that is what we're going to be focusing on this evening one of the things that i think the u.s military adventure in the middle east represents is in essence and perhaps in fact a flanking maneuver on the uh on the ussr's southern flank now to make a long story short what a flanking maneuver is is basically uh arguably the most basic of all military maneuvers of all military stratagems which what uh you do or what one does with a flanking maneuver is you turn the enemies flank that is to say you successfully project your forces around the end of the

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your forces around the end of the enemy's line of defenses this allows your forces to move in behind their line of defense and begin destroying not only their front line of defense but also their logistical support system and rear

echelon and this leaves one's enemy with a choice of doing one of two things either they sit and allow their rear echelon to be attacked they allow themselves to be attacked from the rear or they turn to face the flanking attack in which case they weaken their front and a line weaken their potential to repel a frontal assault this is as i said arguably uh the most basic of all military maneuvers and stratagems it should be noted that the us successfully used a faint and a flanking maneuver to defeat the iraqi forces in kuwait whereas iraqi forces were alerted to or were alarmed about the possibility of a frontal attack by the united states the united states maneuvered its forces in such a way as to make the iraqis think that the attack was going to come one place uh this allowed a a force largely composed of marines to move around the iraqi forces and get in behind them that is a flanking maneuver and consequently because of the devastating effects of a successful flanking maneuver and because of the fact that it is as i said arguably the most basic and important of all military stratagems uh the huge u.s military presence on the southern flank of the soviet union uh undoubtedly represents a very disturbing and threatening situation for soviets political and military thinkers the success of u.s high-tech weapons which we're going to talk about in a second certainly uh cannot have been lost on the soviet union and it obviously has to be very disturbing to their military planners and we're going to take a look at evidence that it in fact is but it should be noted that with the defeat of iraq which had been an ally military ally of the soviet union

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ally military ally of the soviet union supplied by the soviet union for many years uh this greatly enhances u.s political and potentially military fortunes in that part of the world it should be noted that israel the most powerful military force and the only nuclear power in that part of the world is a staunch u.s ally and has been very much opposed to the ussr in the past that obviously cannot make the soviets feel particularly good but it should be noted as this article notes that now the us is the dominant superpower in the middle east even if the us does not keep a long-term military presence in the middle east and it remains to be seen how many u.s forces remain there and for how long uh certainly the improved political climate vis-a-vis u.s military presence or potential u.s military presence will make a quick military buildup in that part of the world in the event of a future confrontation with the soviet union much much easier this cannot make the soviets feel too good and i suspect that among the goals of the us military adventure in the middle east and we will look next week and indications that this was planned in advance is the destabilization of the ussr we have spoken in the past about the profound third reich influence on the u.s national security establishment both the galen spy organization the nazi eastern front spy outfit headed by general reinhard galen which became the cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs provided us with all of our intelligence on that part of the world for a couple of decades following the war uh that that is to say world war ii uh it continues to wield a profound effect on the u.s national security establishment we looked at that in uh the archive show that we did concerning uh nazis and anti-semites on george bush's campaign and as we will see this evening the galen legacy is very much with us today even though we're quite a quite a distance from the second world war at least in terms of uh years unfortunately politically we are not also the project

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politically we are not also the project paper clip the importation of nazi scientists many of them were criminals of the first order and ss people that also has introduced a profound third reich influence on the u.s national security establishment it should also be noted that many of america's top industrialists and financiers were pro-fascist and pro-nazi all along we took a look at that on the first two radio free america shows uncle sam and the swastika uncle sam and duchess and radio free america number 10 as well it uh once again should be noted that the us military adventure in the middle east has now at least for the time being placed a huge u.s military force on the soviet southern flank and even if they do not remain there for a long time and certainly some u.s forces will be there for quite some time to come it remains as i said to be seen how many and for how long it will create and is creating a political climate which would facilitate a rapid in projection of u.s military power in a future confrontation with the

ussr or anyone else in that region one of the aspects of the maneuvering and the real politique of the middle east which was reportedly very very disturbing to george bush was the unsuccessful peace initiative conducted by soviet president gorbachev it is my opinion and we will see that that is not just my opinion although i have expressed it for some weeks now uh that's that particular peace initiative was intended to forestall a u.s presence on the soviet southern flank and in essence to blunt this flanking maneuver a reading now from the los angeles times of wednesday february 20th of 1991 uh we find an article by james gerzenzang of the los angeles times its headline soviet peace proposal falls short bush says its dateline washington it reads in part as follows president bush on tuesday threw cold water on the new soviet peace

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threw cold water on the new soviet peace plan saying quote it falls well short of what would be required unquote to end the gulf war skipping down although details of the plan remain secret the soviets have described it as quote fully in line unquote with the united nations demands for an unconditional iraqi withdrawal from kuwait but the plan also reportedly offered assurances of no penalties for iraq or its leadership along with other controversial points well obviously that plan was not successful it is my feeling that the us military for the projection of u.s military power into that region as well as the uh apparently because we i don't know if we've had uh all of the truth in this regard there are indications that the performance of u.s weapons have been exaggerated at least to the american public but i suspect that the u.s military adventure in the middle east has had a destabilizing effect on the soviet union and that it represents in effect a use of shreklike the nazi technique of frightfulness basically to scare the wheelies out of your opponent uh my feeling is that the us military success and the us military presence in that region uh was intended among other things to frighten and provoke the soviets and to harden the situation of the hard-liners to strengthen the situation of the hard-liners in the ussr it is my belief that contrary to expressed american opinion there are very strong elements in this country that would like to see nothing better than a revival of the cold war one of the many lessons to be learned from the assassination of president john f kennedy is not only that uh the u.s military ultimately calls the shots in this country and i mean that quite literally if you don't believe it just ask president kennedy but that beyond the military per se what president eisenhower referred to as the military-industrial complex namely the uh defense industry so closely related to the military per se that they also wield a profound influence uh kennedy was in the process of withdrawing the united states from vietnam that did not

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united states from vietnam that did not sit well with the defense industry and it did not sit well with the military they helped get rid of president kennedy there was much more than that involved in president kennedy's assassination but that was one of the major factors it is my feeling that the u.s uh national security establishment and the military-industrial complex quote-unquote do not want to see an end to the cold war because it means an end to the at least a reduction of the enormous profits that they reaped under the reagan years and that they have reaped as a result of the cold war it is my belief that the us move on to the soviet southern flank in the middle east is intended to provoke a hardline reaction by the soviet national security establishment uh this intended to do a couple of things in my opinion first of all to [Music] necessitate uh continued high levels of soviet military spending which will undoubtedly have a destabilizing effect on the soviet union itself the soviets are in very very sorry shape economically as well as politically uh continued high levels of military spending will be destructive to their economy it's destructive to our economy as well uh my feeling is that our national security establishment and our intelligence agencies and our military-industrial complex which are interrelated in which uh have functioned in conjunction with each other very effectively from november 22 1963 onward actually they operated together before that but uh on that date in history they took over the united states and they've run it ever since to their own benefit uh it is my feeling that they would like nothing better to see a hard-line reaction in the soviet union because that will continue to bring in the billions and billions of dollars in profits that they have enjoyed in the post-war in the post uh

world war ii period in the cold war period a hardening of the soviet law and a breakdown of dayton would certainly do that it is my feeling that the shreklekite the psychological warfare aspects of the us move onto the soviet flank were intended along with other

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flank were intended along with other things which i will discuss presently to do exactly that provoke a more militaristic sentiment by the soviet union weakening the soviets by necessitating higher levels of military spending to the detriment of their economy it will also bring in continued billions of dollars in profits for the u s defense industries as well that is an opinion i've expressed in the past and it is not my opinion alone uh that is to say the fact that uh the soviet middle east diplomacy represents uh an attempt by the soviets to neutralize at least to a certain extent the u.s military projection and political projection into the middle east and uh my feeling is that this attempt by gorbachev reportedly an attempt which greatly angered george bush was an attempt to blunt the u.s flanking maneuver in the middle east reading now from the san francisco chronicle of wednesday february 27 of 1991 this is an article by barbara starr s-t-a-r-r she is a writer for jane's defense weekly in its headline soviet middle east diplomacy linked to military unrest it reads in part as follows lurking behind the soviet diplomatic efforts in the middle east is a military uncertainty that has pentagon officials deeply concerned it's no coincidence they say that major soviet military unrest and the high-profile soviet attempts at diplomacy with iraq come at the same time by some estimates the soviets have poured 25 billion dollars into the iraqi war machine in the past decade ironically quote the current contingency we are facing right now iraq just happens to be an adversary equipped and schooled by the soviets says brigadier general daniel christman c-h-r-i-s-t-m-a-n the u.s army director of strategy plans and policy since 1958 soviet masters have tutored iraqis attending military schools in the soviet union or gone to iraq to teach weapon skills saddam hussein's war machine features soviet-made top-of-the-line t-72 tanks

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soviet-made top-of-the-line t-72 tanks the modern mig-29 fulcrum fighter jets some of which are now parked in iran the su-24 fencer ground attack plane and the mi-24 hind combat helicopter other artillery helicopters armor and infantry are used according to soviet battle doctrine specifically crisman says iraq's heavy reliance on indirect fire quote has been a highlight of soviet doctrine for years unquote there are other links an extremely heavy reliance on land-based artillery centralized command and control offensive operations with overwhelming numbers of troops and weapons more than three to one which is the western doctrine and a notion that counter attack is often the best form of defense as analysts try to decipher the complexities of the iraqi soviet military connection soviet military spending continues the pentagon is preparing its latest intelligence assessment of soviet military spending and production trends the projected 1991 primary military spending plan of 91 billion rubles is likely to actually reach 96 billion rubles in a year in which the soviet economy is expected to rapidly contract in 1990 the decline in the soviet economy was officially registered at 2 percent but estimates are it may have actually reached 10 percent funding for conventional ground-based armaments is expected to remain flat or even declined slightly but there is still no sign of budget cuts in strategic modernization or in the naval arena say senior department of defense officials other information on the soviet military budget remains classified as of mid-february how the money is used may depend on how the military dice roll in the soviet union factionalism and factions within the factions inside the soviet military leadership make it difficult to know how much the military is going its own way on some issues and what leadership elements it supports among reform elements are the so-called far easterners and the afghanistan or

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far easterners and the afghanistan or veterans of the afghan war the supreme soviet soyuz group which battles the reformers has an old-line traditional notion of old-style military order indeed a term for the hardliners is the yazoff's

quote-unquote a reference to long-time soviet defense minister dimitri yazoff y-a-z-o-v as a member of the old guard yazoff has likely urged gorbachev to be a major player in the gulf crisis and to position the soviet union as a first line power after the war analysts say but many reformers advocate a softer low profile role well as i said i think gorbachev unsuccessful peace initiative and that apparently is the view at least of some of the people at jane's defense analysis uh is specifically uh was intended to blunt this u.s flanking maneuver on the soviet southern flank we will talk next week about boris yeltsin's denunciation of gorbachev at that time and uh yeltsin's uh the connections of people around yeltsin to the american far right uh i do not know what the effect is going to be on gorbachev this peace initiative it would reportedly displease george bush greatly at least initially then reportedly bush and his advisers softened their attitude however i don't know if that represents an accurate assessment it would not surprise me if gorbachev was assassinated at some point in the future i will discuss that next week i am absolutely convinced that boris yeltsin is the west's man we will talk about that next week but note that yeltsin attacked gorbachev and accused him of being a dictator precisely the time that gorbachev and his uh unsuccessful peace initiative were attempting to turn away this u.s move in onto the soviet southern flank now that particular article again uh was from the san francisco chronicle of wednesday february 27th of 1991 and it indicates that the there is a struggle in the soviet

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the there is a struggle in the soviet union between the hardliners vis-a-vis military policy and reformers who favor a softer line and it also uh discusses the soviet military connection with iraq the soviet iraqis do have some top-line soviet equipment a lot of top-line soviet tanks some top-line soviet aircraft they at least to a certain extent have used a number of uh soviet tactics and some soviet military doctrine it is noted and we will talk about in a second the fact that uh much of the iraq equipment was several generations behind what the u.s and its allies used in the middle east it should also be noted that iraqi troops are widely regarded as being well below the level of the soviet troops not only in terms of training but in terms of tactical skill as well still that notwithstanding it appears that u.s military success in the middle eastern war has caused considerable alarm in soviet military circles this figures although it remains to be absolutely seen for sure it figures to strengthen the position of the hardliners the military hardliners the yazofs as that particular article referred to them and it figures to assure higher levels of soviet military spending with a resulting uh destructive effect on the soviet civilian economy and on soviet political fortunes as well in the future reading now from the los angeles times of friday march 1st of 1991 this is an article by elizabeth shogren of the la times s-h-o-g-r-e-n as her last name at state line moscow headlined allied sweep jars soviet military chief sub-headed kremlin defense minister yazov admits some weak spots but he cites the older iraqi weaponry it reads in part as follows tactics used by allied military forces to pummel iraq in the persian gulf war clearly prove that the soviet union's air defense system has weak spots quote unquote defense minister dmitry t yazov said thursday top-ranking soviet military officers who

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top-ranking soviet military officers who predicted a long and drawn-out war in the persian gulf seemed to have been caught off guard by the rapid defeat of the iraqi forces they had helped arm and train answering questions fired at him by national lawmakers yazov said the quick success enjoyed by us-led forces in the war points to the need to revamp the soviet union's air defenses quote what happened in kuwait and iraq necessitates a review of the attitude to army air at one more time what happened in kuwait and iraq necessitates a review of the attitude to army air defense and the country's entire air defense system unquote yazov said quoting again the soviet military he said is analyzing the use of armed forces by the united states and other countries unquote the soviet marshals assessment during the supreme soviet session was the first official acknowledgement that its military has been pushed to re-evaluate its strategies based on what it saw during the gulf conflict well obviously and the article goes on to point out that on the balance the soviet do not think that uh the poor poor performance of iraqi military forces uh in the

war represents an overall indictment of soviet military tactics and equipment uh they cite correctly that most of the iraqi equipment not all of it but most of it is a generation or two behind the uh allied military equipment the u.s used state-of-the-art military equipment in that part of the world also points out that ultimately that is the training and performance of the troops which determines performance in wartime and that the iraqi troops level of training is considerably a tactical skill considerably below that of the soviet union that notwithstanding it's also very clear that the performance of u.s air forces in the war has uh put a scare so to speak into the soviets and that this is likely to uh maintain relatively high levels of military spending in the soviet union in uh years to come

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years to come and we will go into that by the way that article once again from the los angeles times of friday march 1st of 1991 in the new york times of that same day 3191 there was another article which goes into the same information in greater depth the reading now from the new york times of march 1st of 1991 this is an article by serge shmaymon s-c-h-m-e-m-a-double-n of the new york times dateline to moscow and it's headlined soviets say their weapons were not iraqi's weak spot it reads in part as follows after witnessing the route of an iraqi army largely trained and armed by moscow soviet generals have been quick to insist that they and their weapons are not to blame in several articles and interviews the kremlin's military men have argued that iraq did not have the latest in equipment that supplies were limited and that soviet weapons used by syria for example worked fine you must also remember wrote major general sergey a bogdanov v-o-g-d-a-n-o-v chief of the center of operational strategic studies of the soviet general staff quote that in the final reckoning the outcome of any war is determined not so much by equipment as by the people who use it unquote while defending their own arms the generals also stressed that the western allies used state-of-the-art weaponry from stealth bombers to laser guided bombs some references to those weapons included ill-concealed suggestions that cuts in military spending were leaving the soviet union behind in military high technology that last sent couple of sentences again because they're critical while defending their own arms the generals also stressed that the western allies used state-of-the-art weaponry from stealth bombers to laser guided bombs some references to those weapons included ill-concealed suggestions that cuts in military spending were leaving the soviet union behind in military high technology in an interview in his vestia general bogdanov's deputy major general nikolai i cudsenko k-u-t-s-e-n-k-o

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i cudsenko k-u-t-s-e-n-k-o was asked whether the soviet army had weapons similar to those used by the coalition in iraq yes but not all he replied adding again quoting this is something for our military research and development to think about unquote military leaders singled out the superiority that the coalition demonstrated in the air as an area that would require special analysis speaking to the soviet parliament defense minister dmitry yazoff said that quote what happened in kuwait and iraq necessitates a review of the attitudes to army air defense and the country's entire air defense system unquote the point was echoed by colonel general rakim s akturin a-k-c-h-u-r-i-n commander of soviet anti-aircraft forces quote today our anti-air defenses are very capable of repelling the attacks of any air targets he told task quote but what will happen in two or three years the echo of missile thunder in the desert must put us on our guard unquote skipping down on the article as the vestia interviewer put it to general kutsenko many people whether we like it or not perceive the conflict in the gulf as a clash of american and soviet military science their arms and ours and it is clear which side has the advantage unquote skipping down again in the article major general georgie v vesta z-h-i-v-i-t-s-a or javitsa z-h-i-v-i-t-s-a also of the center for operational strategic studies told asbestos that quote the american military like the military of its allies succeeded in creating in a limited in a limited time in the gulf a potent many echelon well-prepared group of its forces general javitsa likewise lauded the detailed preparations and reconnaissance and the successful selection of targets and time and again the articles pointed out that uh the same soviet weapons had

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out that uh the same soviet weapons had performed much better in other areas of the middle east notably when wielded by syrian forces believed to be superior to those of the iraqis however it's worth noting several things in this particular article and again that's from the new york times of 3191 it's worth noting that soviet air defenses apparently are under going to undergo a serious review and it appears that the badly needed cuts in soviet military spending badly needed in order to shore up their civilian economy uh because military spending is very unproductive vis-a-vis a uh civilian economy we're going to go into that at much greater length and in considerable detail next week but that the badly needed cuts in soviet military spending are not going to be forthcoming because the soviets believe and i certainly cannot uh blame them for feeling this way that there is considerable pressure on them to continue their military research and development in order to match the impressive performance of u.s high-tech weapons and in particular the performance of u.s air forces in their various arms again it is my feeling that one of the goals of the u.s adventure into the middle east and again when the u.s national security establishment moves on any given issue they only do so when it'll scratch several different issues at several different levels simultaneously several different itches at several different levels simultaneously but this is aimed at promoting provoking and promoting the hard line in the soviet military and as we've seen there is a division in soviet military thinking between reformers and old liners but that this is aimed at provoking the hard liners in the old timers and continue necessitating or provoking continued soviet military spending in essence a form of psychological warfare a form of shreklokite against the soviets and that that continued high level of military spending is intended to destabilize the soviets on the one hand by weakening their civilian economy and promoting political unrest in that already highly unstable country at the same time that will uh promote continued high levels of

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will uh promote continued high levels of military spending the uh adoption of a hard line by the soviets will in turn necessitate in the view of the u.s national security establishment a harder lawn by us reducing projected military cuts by the united states and consequent uh continued billions of dollars in profits by the u.s military industries and that obviously will have a weakening effect on us the only real winners of something like this are likely to be the japanese and germans we'll talk about that again not only in weeks to come but in a projected archive show called how the united states lost the second world war it should be noted that the continued high levels of soviet military spending and that new york times article indicated that uh the soviets are alarmed by u.s military performance and that's likely to affect soviet military outlays in the future and in particular uh that they're worried that cuts in soviets defense spending might give the u.s a very significant technological advantage at least vis-a-vis air forces in the future it should be noted also that one other aspect of the soviet economy may very well be affected at least according to one observer by the middle eastern war reading now from the san francisco chronicle of monday february 25th of 1991 uh in a column called world insider by edward epstein there's this particular item headlined a soviets take it on the chin and it reads as follows it hasn't fired a shot in the iraq war but the soviet military has suffered a significant defeat nonetheless the soviet army's tactics and arms have been a mainstay of saddam hussein's military establishment and both were crushed under an american-led onslaught some examples iraq's soviet-supplied air defense systems were knocked out in the first hours of the air war last month the soviet-built scud missiles have been a dud militarily although they have disrupted civilian life in israel and saudi arabia

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saudi arabia so far in the ground war soviet tanks either aren't a factor or are unable to stop the allies superior firepower all this does not make for much of a sales brochure for soviet arms exports a type of trade that in recent years became a major earner of foreign currency from moscow that last sentence again because it's critical all this does not make for much of a sales brochure for soviet arms exports a type of trade that in recent years became a

major earner of foreign currency for moscow for interjecting the the earning of foreign currency has been a major goal of soviet economic rehabilitation continuing unless there is an international agreement on limiting arms sales to the middle east after the war countries in the area are going to be in the market for major infusions of arms soviet-made arms won't be their first choice and the soviets will be hard-pressed to offer easy financial terms to possible buyers because of their own enormous economic problems at home home experts on the soviet military points out so it is within the realm of possibility although again the whole military situation there is more complex uh the allied forces the american forces were using state-of-the-art military technology with the exception of some iraqi tanks and a few iraqi aircraft the iraqis were using uh sixties and seventies weapons several generations and in the new york times article by sarah shmayman u.s military analysts agreed that the soviets have more advanced weapons than uh and superior weapons to those used by the iraqis uh still the perception abroad that soviet arms did not perform up to snuff and certainly the soviet general staff itself is worried about the performance of their air defense systems uh that perception abroad could reduce the soviets foreign military sales thereby reducing their ability to earn foreign currency thereby placing increased strain on their economy thereby weakening their economy thereby weakening them politically and

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weakening weakening them politically and continuing to promote domestic unrest this i feel was a major goal of the us move into the middle east once again i think this represents uh something of a flanking maneuver uh not necessarily to begin a military attack against the soviet union although certainly uh regardless of how many u.s forces remain in the middle east and for how long are the more favorable amer pro-american climate created by the u.s move into that part of the world will make a quick military build up in that part of the world much easier in the event of a future confrontation with the ussr it is my belief that this was intended to help destabilize the soviet union by strengthening the hand of the hardliners the yazoffs so to speak thereby maximizing soviet defense spending in in years to come thereby weakening the soviet civilian economy and weakening the soviet union politically as well we will go into that at much greater length next week as we go into the destabilization of the ussr at considerable length we're going to take a short break now and we're going to come back with a devastating article from the current issue of covert action information bulletin we're going to talk about the baltics and uh in activity that i feel is directly related to the u.s move into the middle east a move on the soviet southern flank it is my feeling that the massive program of u.s interference in the baltics and we're going to take a look at that after a break represents a move a potential move onto the soviets northern flank and that that too is intended to produce a soviet hardline reaction uh reviving the cold war maximizing soviet military spending and also maximizing us military spending with the resulting billions of dollars in profits to the defense industries to the detriment of our civilian economy as well that information to follow after a musical break we're now going to proceed with a very very important article from the

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a very very important article from the current issue of covert action information bulletin that issue is issue number 35 and that is the the covert action information bulletin is a quarterly this is their issue for the fall of 1990. for those of you who would like to subscribe to covert action or uh at least obtain this issue the address for covert action information bulletin is po box 34583 washington dc 20043 once again covert action information bulletin p.o box 34583 washington dc 20043 now one of the things that i believe is going on at the present time in addition to what i have described about the us military adventure in the middle east as uh uh in essence a flanking maneuver against the soviet union this has projected u.s military power onto the soviet southern flank and even if it does not remain there and it's certainly going to remain there in some form for some time it will because of the political changes made there make it easier for the u s to affect a similar rapid military buildup in the future in the event of a confrontation a military confrontation with the soviet union my feeling is that the u.s meddling in and destabilization of the baltic states and we're going to go into that right now represents a similar maneuver on the soviets northern

flank now it should be noted that the baltic states lithuania latvia and estonia and we're going to talk about lithuania which is the center for the independence movements for the various dissident soviet republics that the baltic states represent an absolutely critical military area for the soviet union the baltic states basically give the soviets their only warm water ports and uh the loss of the baltic states

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and uh the loss of the baltic states through independence uh even if the baltic states were not hostile to the soviets and as we're going to see this indication that would be the case the loss of the baltics would be very devastating to the soviet strategic position because it would enable uh nato nato naval forces to operate with relative impunity in the baltic sea and on the soviets northern flank not only the very powerful air forces of the us very powerful naval air forces of the u.s carrier fleet but also the cruise missiles the tomahawk missiles which can carry nuclear warheads which are carried by a number of american surface ships uh not to mention u.s submarines would be able to operate with much greater effectiveness on the soviets northern flank than they otherwise would be that would obviously greatly compromise the soviets military and strategic position uh because of that the soviets can be figured not to lose the baltics quote unquote under any circumstances it should be noted that the baltic states were obtained by the soviet union uh as a result of the hitler stalin pact which the u.s has never recognized the hitler stalin pact which has been widely criticized uh is not in my opinion the well it may have been very very certain it was tough politically on some people but uh it was a was a relatively intelligent military maneuver by stalin his uh failure to anticipate the german military invasion the german attack uh operation barbarossa in 1941 was a major failing of stalin's as a military leader without even attempting to assess him as a political figure certainly he was not exactly what one would term a social director i think a lot of the things celine did he really did not have a whole lot of choice in doing but he certainly is not my model for uh a political leader nonetheless i think at least in certain respects he has received a bad rap and i think one of

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received a bad rap and i think one of the things that he's received a bad rap about was his alliance with hitler uh to make a long story short when stalin was unable to put together an anti-nazi coalition he was trying to form alliances with various states to block hitler's eastward expansion when he was unable to do that he signed a pact with hitler and in exchange for the non-aggression pact he not only got a guarantee of soviet agenda in the baltic states which gave him uh which strengthened the soviets northern flank he also was was seated uh the eastern part of poland and also the uh the province of bess arabia now known as moldavia this basically strengthened the soviets defensive position and in as much as ultimately the german armies wound up being stalled on the outskirts of leningrad stunning grad and moscow the soviets three largest cities and most military analysts agree that had those three cities fallen the soviets would have lost the second world war uh the hitler stalin pact from a pure military defensive standpoint uh makes a considerable amount of sense the u.s has not ever recognized that and uh there are indications that they're attempting to undo that particular alliance uh at the moment it should be noted that with the erosion of soviet uh not erosion but virtual elimination of soviet military influence in eastern europe the loss of their cordon solitaire their buffer zone with the west uh and with the increased u.s political and military presence on the soviet southern flank uh the potential loss of the baltics and uh quite possibly the breakup of the soviet union uh is certainly good going to be deeply terrifying to the soviet political and military leadership and the soviet military has also indicated in the kgb have also indicated they will not stand by and allow the soviet union to be broken up it is a safe bet because of the enormously compromised strategic

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the enormously compromised strategic situation that the loss of the baltics would place the soviets in they will not

stand for the loss of the baltics it is my belief that u.s meddling in lithuania which has become the center for independence agitation within not only the baltic states but also other potentially secessionist soviet republics uh it is my belief that the us meddling which we're going to look at here and specifically the resurgence of fascist forces in lithuania with u.s sponsorship that this is intended like the soviet uh like the us move rather into the middle east on the soviets or the southern flank to destabilize the soviet union by representing by basically threatening the compromising of their northern flank and the critical compromising of their strategic situation uh soviet naval forces would be greatly hampered by the loss of the baltics i believe that what we are about to go into as well represents an attempt by the u.s to again provoke a hard-line reaction by the ussr in order to assure continued high levels of soviet military spending with resulting economic and political destabilization of the soviet union also continued high levels of us military spending with the attendant billions of dollars in profits that our uh post-world war ii defense industries have grown accustomed to i would even go to so far as to say addicted to we're not going to go into a very important uh very terrifying article that once again is carried in covert action information bulletins issue number 35 from the fall of 1990. this is an article entitled ned metals in lithuania that says subtitled ned that stands for the national endowment for democracy a very inappropriately named organization as we shall see but ned meddles in lithuania its full title is nurturing baltic reaction the author is philip benosky b-o-n-o-s-k-y uh the

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uh the bio information on bonnoski is as follows philip benosky was born of lithuanian immigrant parents and has made frequent trips to lithuania he recorded some of his impressions in the book beyond the borders of myth new york praxis publishers 1970. and in this particular article philip benosky goes into not only the very obvious and apparently ongoing u.s involvement with the lithuanian independence movement and it should be noted that it was a recent soviet military crackdown in the baltic states but beyond that it points out the enormous residual third reich political activity inside lithuania under u.s sponsorship the main vehicle for residual third reich activity inside of lithuania are two closely linked organizations the new york-based lithuanian catholic religious aid lcra and the lithuanian information center or lic the lcra and the lic are very closely linked here they in turn have received heavy funding from the ned the national endowment for democracy an inappropriately named organization which has basically been used by u.s intelligence in the military to interfere in the affairs of foreign countries for quite some time we're going to begin reading this particular article once again sub-headed ned medals in lithuania nurturing baltic reaction by philip flanoski it reads we're not going to read absolutely all of the article but the vast bulk of it the first section here uh some history of lithuania has gone into and in particular the descriptions of those two organizations lcra and lic are laid out in april of 1990 the soviet republic of lithuania startled the world by declaring itself independent of the ussr the u.s has not yet recognized lithuania as independent and bush's political remarks have been moderate but beneath this facade of calm statecraft there runs a familiar current

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statecraft there runs a familiar current of silent u.s involvement in the political affairs of another country the most visible intervention has been via the national endowment for democracy or ned which has supplied funds equipment and advice to the principal nationalist opposition party sejudis spelled s-a-g-u-d-i-s i would interrupt here there are a number of lithuanian names here that i'm going to be reading uh my lithuanian is non-existent i may be mispronouncing some of these names the listeners will bear with me i'm going to do the best i can but i've never heard most of these words spoken loud so i'm going to uh basically shoot from the hip uh if i incorrectly mispronounce many of these names and i'd be willing to bet i do uh well don't shoot the piano player he's doing the best he can so i'm going to improvise on the pronunciation of these lithuanian names continuing ned has chosen to funnel its lithuanian aid through one organization the new york-based lithuanian catholic religious aid or lcra and its propaganda arm the lithuanian information center or lic these two organizations are run by arch conservative catholic clergy the founder current board chair and the man who has quote presided over the steady growth and

increasing effectiveness unquote of lcra bishop vincentes burgess and his name is spelled v-i-n-c-e-n-t-a-s and burgess and i'm not sure how that's pronounced as b-r-i-z-g-y-s was allegedly a nazi collaborator during world war ii one more time the founder current board chair and the man who has quote presided over the steady growth and increasing effectiveness of lcra bishop vincentes burgess was allegedly a nazi collaborator during world war ii burgess vehemently denies the charge sejudus itself is linked in a variety of ways to the symbols and sentiments of the fascist and nazi periods in baltic history and we're now going to go into in the next section those nazi and fascist

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next section those nazi and fascist periods lithuania lies on the eastern shore of the baltic sea bordered on the south by poland on the north by the latvian ssr and on the east by the bl russian ssr it is the westernmost extent of the soviet union with a population as of 1980 of just over three million in the 14th century invading germans conquered the area and imposed the catholic faith in the modern era lithuania has been repeatedly buffeted by the shifting political and military map of europe lithuania declared independence from tsarist russia in 1918 but in 1926 the nationalist party took power through a military coup declaring himself president augustus voldimores a-u-g-u-s-t-u-s-v-o-l-d-e-m-a-r-e-s and his premier antonismatona a-n-t-a-n-a-s-s-m-e-t-o-n-a shaped lithuania into europe's second fascist state based explicitly on the example of mussolini's italy that last sentence again declaring himself let me read this last two sentences again lithuania declared independence from zaras russia in 1918 but in 1926 the nationalist party took power through a military coup declaring himself president augustus voldemort and his premier antonis smatona shaped lithuania into europe's second fascist state based explicitly on the example of mussolini's italy lithuania remained a dictatorship until 1939 when shmatona fled to the u.s and a new parliament voted unanimously to become a constituent republic of the ussr with the german invasion of the soviet union in 1941 lithuania's nationalists returned briefly to power and assisted the nazis in the swift systematic slaughter of more than a hundred and thirty thousand lithuanian jews

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thirty thousand lithuanian jews communists and other quote undesirables unquote let's uh sum up this particular section because uh it's important that we understand this before we proceed into the rest of the article first of all the two main the main vehicles and they are interrelated for the us covert action inside lithuania are the lithuanian catholic religious aid or lcra and the lithuanian information center or lic they in turn being used by the national endowment for democracy it should be noted here perhaps in this context that in radio free america number 17 we went into uh the long-standing pattern of cooperation between elements of the catholic church the vatican and fascism this is not meant as an impunement of the catholic faith as i pointed out extensively in that particular broadcast uh one should not equate the vatican with catholicism any more than you uh should equate the white house with the united states as a whole but if the word it's worth noting in this context it's worth noting again that uh the lithuania had been part of the russian empire for many years it declared its independence in 1918 when the bolshevik revolution occurred in 1926 the nationalist party about which we will say more in a minute took power and that the nationalist party specifically shaped lithuania into the second european fascist state specifically modeled on the example of mussolini's italy by the way we went into mussolini's fascist state the corporate state and uncle sam and ducey subtitled american support from mussolini and the mythology of the corporate state so mainly we want to bear in mind here lithuanian catholic religious aid and the lithuanian information center their support or their support from the ned the national endowment for democracy and bear in mind lithuania's explicitly fascist path our past i should say a

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fascist path our past i should say a path actually appropriate because as we're going to see uh lithuania's past and

lithuania lithuania's present are converging in a very disturbing fashion continuing with the description of how ned has become involved in lithuania in april of 1990 a 34 year old american william j huff h-o-u-g-h the third was very busy in lithuania huff was sent to lithuania although he doesn't speak lithuanian as legal adviser to vitotus lansberges the leader of the nationalist party by the way the leader's name is v-y-t-a-u-t-a-s l-a-n-d-s l-a-n-d-s-b-e-r-g-i-s that last sentence again in april of 1990 a year old american william j huff iii was very busy in lithuania hoff was sent to lithuania although he doesn't speak lithuanian as legal adviser to vitatus lansberges the leader of the nationalist party he was recommended by lcra lic which the u.s press has cited as very enthusiastic about his work cooperating closely with huff lcra lic has supplied sajudis with paper photocopy machines computers laser printers fax machines and video cameras with additional political and technical expertise vilnius quickly became a communications hub for secessionist forces in lithuania and other soviet republics and i would note in that context on the back of this issue of covert action information bulletin there is a photograph of members of the ukrainian nationalist organization arriving in vilnius to voice their support for independence the o-u-n-u-p-a we went into in radio free america shows one uh we went back into it in 14 and 15 as well as in the miscellaneous archive show nazis and anti-semites on george bush's campaign that was a major organization which cooperated first with the third reich and later with the galen organization cia and the anti-bolshevik

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organization cia and the anti-bolshevik block of nations continuing with the banowski's rehab binoculars article about nurturing baltic reaction talking about william j huff professionally huff as a lawyer he was also an editor of the new york law school journal of international and comparative law which published in its winter 1985 issue his book length article entitled quote the annexation of the baltic states and its effect on the development of law prohibiting forcible seizure of territory huff describes the interwar period of lithuanian history as one of quote political and constitutional stability unquote and again quoting progress toward the restoration of full democracy just how ludicrous that interwar period of lithuanian history that description of lithuanian interwar history i think it's in light of the fact that this was a fascist state modeled on uh mussolini's italy uh i think that's it's pretty clear that uh huff has some very serious biases uh just how serious those biases are we are about to see for that last sentence again huff describes the interwar period of lithuanian history as one of quote political and constitutional stability unquote and again quoting progress toward the restoration of full democracy unquote he fails to mention the collaboration of nationalists and nazis in his public justifications of secession lonsburgs has frequently referred to hoff's interpretation of lithuanian history hoff's history of lithuania must be reassuring to ned's ideologues and their lithuanian clients some of whom share a past they might reasonably prefer to forget interesting footnote to that passage about hoff and some of his past associations hof worked from 1986 to 1987 as law clerk to then new hampshire supreme court justice david suter recently confirmed as bush's first appointment to the u.s supreme court i don't know how

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the u.s supreme court i don't know how significant that association is but it certainly doesn't make me feel very good about david suter the unknown is now an associate supreme court justice so again in this particular period we're looking in this particular section here before we move on william j huff is the individual who is operating on behalf of ned and lcra slash lic in vilnius lithuania political adviser to lonsberges the head of sejudis and a person who describes fascist lithuania as quote political its period as political and constitutional stability and quote progress toward the restoration of full democracy it's not ludicrous that is we will see presently continuing with banoski's article during the past two years ned has granted seventy thousand dollars to lcra lic they are not obviously democratic organizations interjecting uh that is something of an understatement as we shall see founded in 1961 to quote provide the church under the soviet oppression with spiritual and material assistance unquote lcra's parent organization was the lithuanian roman catholic priests league the quiet obscurity of this group belies the welcome

they they receive in the halls of power lcra executive director father casimir pujepis and that's spelled p-u-g-e-v-i-c-i-u-s served in 1983 on an advisory committee to senator charles percy republican of illinois then a member of the senate foreign relations committee he was also welcomed in the reagan white house in 1986. according to lcra lic its 1990 grant application to ned requested hundred and eighteen thousand three hundred dollars and outlined its ambitious proposal as follows five separate pro-democratic organizations would receive technical and material aid the first a coalition of democratic parties enjoying broad support in lithuania and capable of assuming leading roles in the new legislature would receive computer and

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legislature would receive computer and audio visual equipment communications and video equipment will also be transported to the chajudas information agency according to ned funds went only to judas that's a an interjection by the author continuing the second part of the project would ensure a continuous supply of much needed paper for independent publishers and organizations the dramatic increase in the number of democratic groups in lithuania in the past year has caused severe shortages in the very limited pool of resources because the greater degree of liberals because of the greater degree of liberalization in lithuania this republic has emerged as the publishing center for the independent groups throughout the soviet union then continuing with the banoski's uh text here within weeks of the arrival of these goods traditional sources of information in lithuania were suppressed or taken over by sejudis nationalist sympathizers cut off broadcast programming from moscow and lithuania was soon flooded with secessionist propaganda in the ensuing election sajudis managed to dominate the scene by riding the crest of a wave of nationalist sentiment it won a majority in the syme seim or parliament in march a hastily convened a hastily convened session of parliament voted for secession 91-38 in a matter of hours laws were passed curbing opposition newspapers and changing the flag and national anthem reverting to versions in use during the nationalist period as to whether or what of real substance to change sajudis remains silent those last couple of sentences again laws were passed curbing opposition newspapers and changing the flag and national anthem reverting to versions in use during the nationalist period and a couple of pages later there's a picture of the current lithuanian emblem and it's uh it shows a

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lithuanian emblem and it's uh it shows a white knight on a red field and it's captioned under sejudis lithuania has replaced hammer and sickle with the white knight on a red field used by the savandori during the nationalist and fascist period of the twenties and thirties uh we'll go into svendoria i spelled s-a-v-a-n-d-o-r-i-a-i in just a second they were the fascist militia during the nationalist slash fascist period they then many of them anyway jumped enthusiastically to the third reich and became third reich proxies during the nazi occupation of the baltics so summing up what we've seen in that particular section again the expansion of ned activity in lithuania under the auspices of lcra slash lic is paramount it's worth noting that uh sejudis was the main beneficiary obviously of this activity in the mind as much as william huff was uh the chief adviser to longsberges that they not only uh cut off broadcast programming from moscow obviously that's something which is going to greatly provoke moscow they voted for uh secession and they advocated secession but that they curbed opposition newspapers that is anything but democratic and they also you change the flag in the national anthem to those used during the fascist and nationalist period uh anything but uh democratic and as we shall see that is apparently symptomatic of exactly the kinds of forces being promoted in lithuania continuing with vanosky's article to lithuanians old enough to remember the second world war the energetic activities of sajudis lcra and lic must seem vaguely familiar lonsberger's father was a member of the sovereign of the svandorii or nationalist militia who fought the russians in 1918 and 19 helped enforce the successive dictatorships of voldemortish and shimatona and collaborated with the german occupation the last sentence again

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the last sentence again lonsburg's father was a member of the spondorai or nationalist militia who fought the russians in 1918 and 19 helped enforce the successive dictatorships of voldemors and shimatona and collaborated with the german occupation a reporter for der spiegel wrote in april of 1990 that quote everybody fears shajudas anyone who attacks to judas is declared an enemy of the people by lansberges and that happens very quickly unquote in addition the chandoria illegal under soviet law have been revived until under the leadership of retired army officers and uh again here i think it's worth noting that uh las vegas father was a member of the svandoria in addition to banning opposition newspapers and advocating secession the spandauri were revived the national anthem and flag were changed back to those uh and that were in use during the fascist and nationalist period and as we shall see this fandoria uh collaborated enthusiastically with the third reich during the during the german occupation of lithuania continuing but with banoski's article prior to the german invasion in june of 1944 a berlin-based lithuanian information bureau unquote the propaganda arm of the lithuanian activist front a nationalist exile organization sent the following message into lithuania quote liberation is close at hand uprisings must be started in the cities towns and villages of lithuania communists and other traders must be arrested at once the trader will be pardoned only provided he proves beyond doubt that he has killed one jew at least in the book blowback christopher simpson chrisley summarizes part of the quote liberation unquote that followed municipal killing squads employing lithuanian nazi collaborators eliminated 46 692 jews in fewer than three months

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692 jews in fewer than three months according to their own reports mainly by combining clock-like liquidation of 500 jews per day in the capital city of vilnius with mobile quote cleanup unquote sweeps through the surrounding countryside such squads were consistently used by the nazis for their dirty work that even the ss believed to be beneath the dignity of the german soldier on august 4th 1941 the lithuanian activist front installed as a provisional government taking care to cooperate fully with that one one more time on august 4th the lithuanian activist front installed as a provisional government taking care to why should this is a misprint on august 4th 1941 the lithuanian activist front was installed as a provisional government taking care to fully cooperate fully with the nazis the invaders let president jose's hombre ambrose beshes uh armbra zevishes i'm going to call it uh that name is j-u-o-z-a-s a-m-b-r-a-z-e-v i-c-i-u-s armbra zebus i'll call it uh one more time the invaders let president jesu ombrezepshia's government stand for three months during which time the worst of the killings occurred after the war ambrose fled to the u.s for he changed his name to brazil b-r-a-z-a-i-t-i-s the crimes which prompted the post-war flight of many lithuanian nationalists were starkly documented in the jaeger report an unofficial count by the ss officer who supervised the massacres and that's quoted here einsatz commando 3 kovnot december 1st 1941 secret state document summary of all executions carried out in this section summary of all executions carried out in the sphere of action of einsatz commando 3 up to december 1st 1941. einstein's commando 3 took over its duties as security police in lithuania

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duties as security police in lithuania on the second day of july 1941. in compliance with my directives and on my order the lithuanian partisans have carried out the following executions and then returning to banoski's text what followed was a chronological what followed was a chronological accounting of the activities of the killing squads victims were neatly categorized jewish men jewish women jewish children poles lithuanian communists russian communists intellectual jews lunatics gypsies political instructors armenians after the first three thousand deaths jaeger apparently decided that the lithuanian nationalists alone were not equal to the task again quoting from the third reich document the jaeger report by the way nss report after organizing a mobile unit under ss oberstorm flora hama on h a m a double n and eight to ten tried men of ek3 the following actions were carried out in cooperation

with the lithuanian partisans before the ek-3 assumed security duties the partisans themselves killed 4 000 jews through pogroms and executions i can state today that the goal of solving the jewish problem in lithuania has been reached by ek-3 there are no jews in lithuania anymore except the work jews and their families the goal to clear lithuania of jews could be achieved only thanks to men who adopted my goal without any reservations and managed to secure the cooperation of the lithuanian partisans and the respective civil offices one more time quoting the last couple of sentences the goal to clear lithuania of jews could only be achieved thanks to men who adopted my goal without any reservations and managed to secure the cooperation of the lithuanian partisans and their respective civil offices the final tally of those killed was 137 346 as the report clearly indicates the nazis were assisted by both the

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nazis were assisted by both the paramilitary bans associated with the nationalists and by those in positions of authority including members of the cash of the catholic clergy for summing up what we looked at in that particular section of the article we have looked at what happened in lithuania under the third reich occupation and it should be noted that again lansberges the head of sejudis aided by ned and lcra lic uh lonsburges's father was a member of the savandoria of the svandorii the fascist slash nationalist militia which collaborated enthusiastically with the third reich recalled it sejudis and lansberges changed the lithuanian flag and national anthem to those in use during the fascist and nationalist period it should be noted also that uh the svandorii illegal under soviet law were revived by lonsburges and sejudis and this is an organization which collaborated enthusiastically with the third reich in their brutal excesses in lithuania during the second world war it should also be noted here that archbishop marcinkus we looked at in connection with the vatican banking scandals and with the p2 machinations inside the vatican is also lithuanian also from the chicago area and as we're going to see uh bishop burgess if that's the correct pronunciation of the name uh is also from that area note also before we move on that uh the fellow jesu ombre jebus at arm brazemcius i'm gonna call it a-n-b-r-a-z-e-v-i-c-i-u-s again fled to the united states which has proved such a very safe haven for so many fascists and nazis over the years continuing with the next section here of banoski's article as auxiliary bishop of conus or kovnot k-a-u-n-a-s or k-o-v-n-o during the german occupation bishop vincentes burgess founder of lcra lic lent his spiritual

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founder of lcra lic lent his spiritual authority to fascism when the nazis retreated so did he first to germany then to chicago where he has lived worked and carried the nationalist banner for 25 years bear in mind this is the fellow who founded lcra lic the organization being used by ned and the u.s national security establishment to interfere in the affairs of lithuania the clergy hated socialism for very clear reasons the socialist government which came to power in 1939 had separated church and state church property was confiscated including large farms where peasants labored under semi-feudal conditions eliminated elsewhere in europe centuries before clergy were removed from government and the educational system two institutions where they had long-wielded powerful influence archbishop schwerbeckes archbishop schwerekis i'm going to call it s-k-v-i-r-e-c-k-s burgess superior documented the bishop's collaborationist activities with evidence satisfaction the archbishop's diary for july 1 1941 reveals that burgess made contact quote with the representative of the german government for the baltic states dr gruffa grffe formerly head of gestapo in east prussia who proposed that propose that he burgess should make an appeal to the people to behave quietly and pursue their daily business with confidence without any fear that they might be harmed one more time archbishop archbishop schwerekis burgess superior documented the bishop's collaborationist activities with evident satisfaction the archbishop's diary for july 1st 1941 reveals that burgess made contact quote with the representative of the german government for the baltic states dr gruffa formerly head of gestapo in east prussia who proposed that he burgess should make an appeal to the people to behave quietly and pursue their daily business with confidence without any fear that they might be

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without any fear that they might be harmed unquote bear in mind once again the fellow that archbishop chevreckes is referring to is his immediate subordinate burgess who is the head and founder was the founder i should say of lcra lic the main us vehicle for involvement in lithuania continuing here with the article on june 30th of 1941 the archbishop had written quote the ideas in montcomp on the question of the bolshevik jewish contagion are splendid they prove that hitler is not only an enemy of the jews but generally speaking has the right ideas one more time this is the fellow who heads so who founded lcra lic archbishop uh vincent's burgess on june 30th 1941 the archbishop had written quote the ideas in monkoff on the question of the bolshevik jewish contagion are splendid they prove that hitler is not only an enemy of the jews but generally speaking has the right ideas unquote an appeal to welcome the nazis was broadcast by radio then published in a major columnist newspaper signed by schwerekas burgess and vicar general saudis that's s-a-u-l-y-s their signatures were also on a formal telegram of thanks to hitler for quote lithuania's liberation sent in the middle of july of 1941 that telegram and those obnoxious views again coming from burgess continuing with bonovsky's text as the nazis and their collaborators implemented the diabolical logic of minecomp burgess quote set an example for the entire population by forbidding the clergy to aid the jews in any way unquote he also urged from his pulpit and via radio and newspaper that lithuanians cooperate with the nazis when the soviet army led by its 16th lithuanian division drove the nazis out in 1944 burgess fled to safety in germany and then to the u.s sent to the archdiocese of chicago he

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sent to the archdiocese of chicago he helped launch lithuanian catholic religious aid in 1961 and served as lcra president until 1986. he is now chair of the board of directors well that that passage uh tragically and disgustingly speaks very clearly for itself archbishop burgess obviously was an enthusiastic third reich proxy and worked hand in glove with a third reich and not only was it a practical consideration he obviously was in agreement with the goals of the third reich another interesting connection here is uh discussed by uh and it's also worth noting again that he fled first to germany then to the u.s and settled in chicago which is where archbishop marchinkas also comes from himself a lithuanian in light of the uh pro-fascist and pro-us intelligence activities of the p2 founded by lichio jelly himself and oberloyn in the ss uh archbishop martinka's situation impossible us a possible connection to archbishop burgess and the events and elements we're talking about here are to be born in mind continuing here with the very last section of this article that i'm going to read a couple of other interesting connections here of lcra lic director of special projects for lcra lic is r-a-z-g-a-i-t-i-s step-daughter of accused war criminal jurgis uotis j-u-r-g-i-s-j-u-o-d-i-s because of his involvement as a nationalist military officer in the massacres of 1941 uotis became the subject of a justice department office of special investigations or osi inquiry in nineteen eighty one in addition to her work with lcra ros gates is head of quote americans for due process unquote an organization quote formed solely to challenge the activities of the justice department's war crimes unit unquote she is also a friend of patrick buchanan through whom she gained access to the reagan white house when buchanan was

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reagan white house when buchanan was communications director just as lansberges the head of sejudis's father was a member of the svandoria the fascist militia and just as he revived not only the fascist national anthem and flag in lithuania and revived the svandoria the enthusiastic collaborators in the with the nazis and the excesses i've described here uh so this other key member of lcra the director of special projects is the daughter of another accused war criminal so tight with patrick buchanan continuing here afl-cio president lane kirkland is a long-time member of the cold warrior clique committee on the present danger and supports cia manipulation of labor movements around the globe kirkland has welcomed lansberagus as a friend during his u.s visits kirkland's name was on an open letter to president bush published in the april 22 1990 new york times calling for immediate recognition of lithuanian

independence kirkland is on the ned board it's interesting here that we find afl-cio president lane kirkland working with these same sorts of individuals uh i have spoken for many years uh about the coming of fascism to america the use by the cia and the u.s national security establishment of the afl-cio and other labor organizations to promote political reaction and fascism around the world i think indicates to a certain extent at least the extent to which in the united states is becoming national socialist we have labor basically being bent to do the will of the fascists and essentially uh becoming an extension of uh fascism and the us national security establishment not all of labor obviously but key elements of it in this case lane kirkland well obviously this uh is a disturbing article i'm going to take a very short musical break come back and i'm going to uh discuss uh the implications of this article and read the last couple of articles that i'm going to have in tonight's prepared portion and uh we that will sum up uh

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portion and uh we that will sum up uh the first installment of this very important archive show the destabilization of the ussr prelude to world war three question mark well good evening welcome back once again i think it's pretty apparent that uh the us projection of uh political involvement and who knows ultimately perhaps military involvement in lithuania is anything but independent uh anything but democratic i should say uh lithuania may become independent although again the soviet military has indicated flat out that they will not stand for the breakup of the soviet union uh there is i think a distinct possibility of civil war inside this the ussr which could ultimately result in a nuclear incident we will talk about that more uh next week who knows just what effect what ripple effect a nuclear incident inside the soviet union might have could precipitate world war three it's one of the things that i'm afraid of at least as a possibility may be unlikely but we will find out i think it's very apparent though that uh the lithuanian independence movement is anything but democratic if that's democracy i would hate to see fascism one of the things that i think is going on is an attempt by the united states and the uh elements it's using in lithuania n e d l c r a and l i c with its obvious fascist and nazi antecedents and activities and sentiments as i think they are this is an attempt to deliberately provoke a soviet reaction there has already been such a reaction and my feeling is that this was intended uh it is my belief that the goal of the united states as i said is a destabilization of the ussr by forcing a hard line with our resulting high soviet military spending with resulting economic and political destabilization of the soviet union the political destabilization because of the economic destabilization my feeling is that the fascist elements being elevated by the u.s and its allies in lithuania are

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u.s and its allies in lithuania are intended to provoke a reaction i think ultimately sejudis and the lansberges and people like that are intended as sacrificial lambs certainly with the legacy of world war ii under their belt uh the soviet national security establishment is not likely to take a very uh it is certainly likely to take a very dim view of these kind of things and is not likely to tolerate them and again i do not think that uh the soviets are going to tolerate a loss of the baltics so to speak and i believe that the covert action we have just described with its obvious use of residual nazi and fascist elements with ties obviously going back to the galen organization uh that represents uh basically a move onto the soviets northern flank and bear in mind what i said about the baltics they are an absolutely critical area for the soviets strategically speaking because that allows them access to the baltic sea so that they can uh project their naval forces into the baltic sea and uh at least attempt to neutralize uh nato naval forces that might operate in that area the destabilization of the soviet northern flank with the soviet the us thrust out of the soviet southern flank in the middle east represents i think uh not only uh at least from an overall an overview standpoint a flanking maneuver against the soviets but an attempt as i said to destabilize them provoke a hard line with the resulting effect and we will go into uh this next week at much greater length uh the resulting economic and consequent destabilization of the soviet union the last two articles that i'm going to read this evening both come from the new york times of tuesday february 26 of 1991. at the bottom of the front page of that particular edition of the new york times we find the following article warsaw pact agrees to dissolve its military alliance by march 31st it's

by celestine bolen b-o-h-l-e-n dateline budapest it reads in part as follows fatally stricken by the collapse of soviet power in eastern europe the warsaw pact today signed its own

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warsaw pact today signed its own obituary with an agreement to dissolve the 36 year old military alliance by march 31st the future of the treaty's political links will be decided at another meeting in prague in june but spokesman for the new democracies in eastern europe today made clear that it is a matter of time and formalities before all traces of the old soviet dominated alliance disappear quote when you deprive the warsaw treaty of its military essence it becomes more or less an empty shell unquote said the polish foreign minister christophe schubyesky s-k-u-b-i-s-z-e-w-s-k-i at a news conference where representatives of the soviet union were notably absent as the warsaw pact dissolves and obviously that has to make the soviet military planners and political planners that much edgier uh we find on page a5 of the same edition of the new york times as being february 26th of 1991 the following story by michael wines of the new york times w-i-n-e-s headline americans say new uncertainties are putting new life into nato dateline washington it reads in part as follows just as the demise of the warsaw pact appeared ready to deal a symbolic blow to nato's role as defender of europe the persian gulf war and the erosion of soviet reforms have joined to pump new vigor into the aging western military alliance bush administration officials say the soviet crisis capped by an army crackdown in the baltic republics dashed hopes that europe could finally safely dismiss moscow's military threat the officials said meanwhile iraq seizure of kuwait's oil industry awakened europeans to the fact that the soviets were not the sole danger to their collective security as a result those and other officials say nato's dominant role in european military issues is unlikely to end soon even though the alliance faces wrenching political strains nato may even grow a bit

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nato may even grow a bit according may even grow a bit some of the officials add as nations of the old communist bloc seek to tie themselves to nato's security policies as a counterweight to the soviets unpredictability uh well again what we're seeing here according to the bush people is a strengthening or at least a perpetuation and new life quote unquote into nato even as the warsaw pact is uh fading completely as being dissolved this obviously has to make the soviets that much easier with the resulting promotion of a hard line for reasons i've already indicated beyond that it's uh to be noted that uh one of the forces doing this is the soviet army crackdown in the baltic republics well as we've seen what's happening in the baltic republics is anything but democratic and it is my feeling that the deliberate projection of third reich elements into the political scene in lithuania and the other baltic states uh bear in mind that lithuania has become a center for uh secessionist activity in other soviet republics and we'll look at that in weeks to come uh i do not think that that could be expected to do anything but prevent but provoke a soviet crackdown i think ultimately the baltics and uh sajudis and lansberges are intended by the u.s national security establishment as a sacrificial lamb much the way the hungarian independence movement was deliberately sacrificed in 1956 i think that this again represents a destabilization attempt at the soviet union intended to revive the cold war uh can promote provoke continued high levels of soviet military spending in order to destabilize the soviet union economically we will be going into this at considerable length next week i think also that the uh tying of old communist stations of eastern europe to nato is likely to further aggravate the soviet situation making uh further instability probable and obviously again this is not going to make soviet military and strategic planners feel very secure about what's going to happen

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going to happen all of these things will be reviewed next week and we will go into other information as we uh move into the series about the destabilization the destabilization of the ussr at greater length i think ultimately although we

were being told that uh the removal of soviet influence in eastern europe represented a triumph for democracy etc and that it uh harbored a new era of world peace again what we're seeing in lithuania is anything but democracy there are disturbing indications that uh similar events are underway to a certain extent in other eastern european countries we will be going into that in weeks to come i think ultimately the erosion of soviet influence in eastern europe uh may turn out to be a process analogous to the way hitler was able to acquire territories such as czechoslovakia the rhineland and other areas without a shot being fired the angeles of austria this may prove to be a peaceful uh prelude to a very violent and bloody period we will talk about that again in weeks to come uh if this is democracy i'd hate to see fascism what's going on in lithuania and bearing in mind one of my favorites quotes this coming from uh author william faulkner the past is never dead and buried it isn't even past i want to apologize for my uh attempts at the lithuanian names my lithuanian is non-existent and it's not uh a language which is uh very hospitable to the american linguistic palette so please bear with me and as i'm sure i mispronounced many of those lithuanian names uh we will be going into that we will be reviewing this material next week and going into the destabilization of the soviet union at much greater length and in particular uh the effects of the reagan military buildup on the soviet national security establishment and their economy well good evening welcome back once again to one step beyond i'm going to give you a rundown now of what we're going to be talking about in tonight's second installment of an

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tonight's second installment of an ongoing archive series entitled destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war three and we're going to begin by taking a look at an editorial that appeared in the or part of an editorial i really should say that appeared in the san francisco sunday examiner and chronicle on february 24th of this year uh this is uh the rumination of an individual i'm not particularly fond of william randolph first whose political opinions basically fall somewhere to the right of those of ivan the terrible uh he however has some interesting things to say here and i think it reflects quite accurately the viewpoint of the american right on not only on the future of american and soviet relations but also on the recent abortive uh peace initiative by president mikhail gorbachev he made a an unsuccessful attempt to forestall the ground attack uh in kuwait and uh his peace initiative failed and in the opinion of william randolph hearst uh that represented an unsuccessful attempt by gorbachev to defend the soviet union southern flank and that is exactly uh how i view the situation so we will uh peruse some of the views of william randolph hurst jr and uh by doing so we will get an idea i think of just how the right sees what's going on and in case people had not noticed the far right and literally fascist elements are firmly in control in uh these united states and if that seems uh incredible or fantastic well stick around because uh reality is the best of all educators in my opinion from that very same san francisco sunday examiner in chronicle we will be viewing uh another analysis article which develops further how the right sees the unsuccessful gorbachev peace initiative and uh what this portends both for the soviet union and for u.s soviet relations uh this particular article uh basically uh forecasts that those relations may very

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forecasts that those relations may very well be suffering it is my opinion that those relations have been intended to suffer and that what has been forecast as the end of the cold war is not the end of the cold war at all but rather a period which could be compared in certain respects with the land grab that hitler acquired prior to the second world war uh recall that hitler was able to acquire first the rhineland uh then in the sudetenland uh then all well first the rhineland and then austria uh then the sudetenland and then all of czechoslovakia without firing a shot i think the forces of political reaction in this uh well in the west i have been able to do something very similar with the so-called coming of democracy to eastern europe it is non-socialist all right but as we will be seeing what is happening in eastern europe is not democratic by any stretch of the imagination not to say that there are not democratic elements there but they are not an ascendancy and i think basically history will show that uh what is happening now

in eastern europe is not uh the the return of democracy although really eastern europe was never democratic not even before the soviets uh uh put eastern europe under their thumb but rather what we are seeing is the return of fascism to eastern europe and many of the countries which had previously been in the warsaw pact which is in the process of dissolving it has been formally uh set to dissolve for later this year uh countries uh notably hungary romania and bulgaria all fought on the side of the axis in the second world war east germany of course was part of the third reich poland was basically a fascist country uh prior to the second world war although because it lay uh in between the ussr and germany and because the pols themselves were too nationalistic to allow the germans to acquire their territory peacefully as they did in czechoslovakia poland wound up being the first in many ways the most brutalized with the exception of the ussr the most brutalized of all of hitler's victims poland however was an anti-semitic dictatorship under a fellow named marshall pilsudski and uh then when

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marshall pilsudski and uh then when pilsudski died in 35 one of his flunkies whose name i forget offhand took over and essentially continued the same policies fiercely anti-labor fiercely anti-semitic and basically fascistic uh what is going on in eastern europe i suspect will may very well at some point lead to a third world war uh it depends on whether or not the communist party of the soviet union and beyond that the soviet military uh agree to go peacefully and quietly uh under the weight of the destabilization now going on that may happen but i would not bet on it personally and uh one of the problems with politics and with war and as von press military theoretician observed uh war is a continuation of policy by other means uh often things go wrong a friction fund closets spoke about and things may go wrong in the planned and ongoing destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe if they do i think we may very well have a third world war as incredible as that might seem uh at the moment we will then take a look after uh looking at those two pieces of information from the examiner chronicle from 224.91 uh we will look at an article from the san jose mercury news of thursday february 21st of 1991 talking about how irritated george bush was with gorbachev's peace efforts and uh i myself would not be terribly surprised to see gorbachev assassinated there might be a lot of different i think there are a lot of different elements in the soviet union that could be used to assassinate gorbachev i suspect that many of those elements can and perhaps are being controlled by elements of the us intelligence community uh my feeling is i think there's a distinct possibility i won't say that it will happen but i think it's possible that by attempting to protect the soviet southern flank uh gorbachev may have signed his own death warrant it may be that gorbachev's assassination has been intended for some time my own feeling is that he in many ways could be compared with lee harvey oswald he has been used i think he now realizes

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he has been used i think he now realizes he has been used he may be attempting to reverse some of what has happened and if he attempts to reverse what has happened to any significant extent i would be willing to bet that he gets assassinated or uh that he will die of a quote natural death unquote uh natural of course in quotes and uh those of you who have listened to this program know what i mean by that uh gorbachev himself in an article that we will be looking at from the mercury of wednesday february 27th of 1991 warned that uh chile u.s soviet relations might result from a rejection of the peace initiative while that peace initiative of course was rejected we will see what happens following that we will take a musical break and then i'm going to read another article from a very very important issue of covert action information bulletin this particular issue is covert action information bulletins issue number 35 its uh theme is friendly enemies the cia in eastern europe and for those of you who would like to subscribe to covert action information bulletin or obtain issue number 35 from the fall of 1990 caib as a quarterly you can contact covert action information bulletin their address is po box 34583 box three four five eight three that's in washington dc two zero zero four three once again covert action information bulletin p o box three four five eight three washington dc two zero it's a very worthwhile publication and this is an extremely important issue arguably their most important issue we're going to be looking at a very important article in this issue uh which will serve as

uh well i couldn't say the found well yeah in many ways the foundation for the rest of this archive series this particular article by sean gervaisy g-e-r-v-a-s-i is entitled appropriately enough a full court press the destabilization of the

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court press the destabilization of the soviet union and i think this article is a very important and very incisive article and will shed a lot of very important light a lot of uh it will clarify in many ways just what was going on vis-a-vis ronald reagan's national security policy many people thought ronald reagan intended a nuclear war uh actually i think gervais makes an excellent point that the soviets were made to think that same thing and that was used to put pressure on the soviet union this particular article talks about destabilization involving two basic things one pressure from the outside external pressure and the other disruption and internal pressure on the broadcast this evening we will be looking primarily at external pressure last week we began by looking at the manifestation of internal pressure uh the national endowment for democracy uh an oxymoron if ever there was one uh that particular well let's say a misnomer not necessarily an oxymoron a misnomer if ever there was one that organization is anything but democratic and is not promoting democracy quite the contrary it basically uh promotes fascism uh that institution has been utilized to uh re-inject fascist elements into lithuania uh the two main vehicles for that being the lithuanian catholic relief llcra lithuanian catholic relief aid and the other is the lic the lithuanian information center uh the two be no it's lithuanian catholic religious aid excuse me and the other is the lithuanian information center the two are inextricably linked being used by ned to basically reinject fascist elements into lithuania or to resurrect fascist elements into lithuania i expressed the opinion last week and i think the facts will bear me out and the events will bear me out that with the us conducting a huge and very successful military adventure on the soviet union's southern flank that the destabilization of the baltics which are now moving in the direction of independence represents an attempt to outflank the soviets or represents a flanking maneuver on their northern flank i do not think that the soviet

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flank i do not think that the soviet national security establishment is going to tolerate the loss of the baltics because it would permit nato naval forces including u.s carrier air fleets and tomahawk missiles to operate with virtual impunity right off of the soviets coast and if you take some of the weaponry that was used in iraq and move it right up close to the soviet union and equip it with nuclear warheads well you have something that i don't think the soviets are going to tolerate i expressed the belief last week that eventually the sort of crackdown which we already have seen in lithuania will be used to restart the cold war it is already being used to justify the continuation of nato even though the warsaw pact has dissolved and beyond that some of the former warsaw pac nations are talking about uh forming ties with nato we read that into the archives last week that also i think will help to destabilize the soviet union it certainly is not going to make the soviet political and military leadership feel any more secure and it is my fear that ultimately uh we may see i i would be willing to bet there will be a nuclear incident of some kind uh there might even be a third world war something i want to cover in weeks to come i'm going to try and contact lanny sinking formerly uh director of litigation for the cristic institute he has now left the cristics but in a phone conversation with lanny some time ago uh he mentioned that a there had been a report out of the soviet union that a nucleus of nuclear weapons had been quote compromised unquote be interesting to see if uh civil war does in fact uh ensue in the soviet union and uh if uh the predictions that that will happen are accurate whether we have a nuclear incident in the soviet union uh not a very appetizing prospect particularly for the soviets but uh given the fact that uh a radiation would be spread all over the world just like it was with chernobyl and b that that might trigger a third world war uh it's not something i think we should feel very good about either following this very very important article once again the destabilization of the soviet union by sean gervaisi we

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of the soviet union by sean gervaisi we will take a look at an article in today's san jose mercury news today being sunday march 10th of 1991 a very important article by jeffrey klein uh jeffrey klein is a is uh a fellow who has written a book called the black hole affair and he talks basically about the gulf war quote mother of star wars and how the strategic defense initiative is being retailed uh as a result of the success of the patriot missiles we're going to be taking a look at that and i will be discussing this in the context of the pressure that this will no doubt put on the soviet national security establishment to continue high levels of military spending in order to assure a rough military parody or something approximating that that of course will place still more strain on the already uh badly so badly sagging soviet economy that also in turn figures to heat up the tempers of the soviet people already uh badly inflamed and that figures to further destabilize the soviet union it is my opinion and i think the facts uh argue very strongly in this regard that the war in the middle east had been planned for some time and that the united states had baited saddam hussein into invading kuwait and that this entire operation was planned well in advance not only was this not in my opinion and those of quite a few other people not only was this not a spontaneous reaction to an act of aggression and unanticipated act of aggression on the contrary this is something which had been planned for some time and i am going to read into the archives this evening a very very important article that i have read before i have not placed it in the archives this comes from the london sunday observer of october 21st of 1990 it's uh talk it's titled u.s oil plot fueled saddam and i will read the entire almost the entire article into the archives this evening following that we're going to look at a piece of an editorial by walter lacker in the los angeles times from this past friday this past friday being march 8th of 1991 and

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past friday being march 8th of 1991 and it talks about a return or a rise a projected rise of the soviet hardliners and a return to the cold war and uh this is exactly in my opinion what uh elements in this country and probably germany and japan as well have in mind we will discuss that and what it portends for the future i am not i had to say the least optimistic we will talk about walter lacker and some views uh with which i agree i do from what i've seen here i do not agree with what walter lacker generally has to say but i do well it comes from the center for strategic and international studies which we will be talking about on a very important right wing think tank with very close ties to the reagan and bush administrations and the national security establishment in general but i think walter lacker just like william randolph first uh has some thinking here which we would do well to observe because i think it reflects uh not only the views of the fascist elements in ascendance in this country at the moment but also it portends for i think uh very accurately and ominously for the future we're then uh going to take a look at uh two articles i'm really only going to read the headlines and this is by way of looking ahead to some of the information we're going to be talking about next week next week we're going to be talking about internal interference in the soviet union we began by looking at that last week specifically the ned using lcra and lic to uh re-inject fascist elements into lithuania and next week we're going to be taking a look at people like paul wyrick and the so-called and again inappropriately named free congress foundation and their interference their blatant interference in soviet affairs and ties between the american far right and of all people boris yeltsin uh boris yeltsin uh has in tez re-uh intensified his attack on president gorbachev and we will be taking a look at uh yeltsin and uh by way of looking ahead to next week we're going to read or actually just look at the headline from an article from the san jose mercury news of monday march 4th and we will also be taking a look at uh an article from today's san

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look at uh an article from today's san jose mercury today being march 10th of 1991 that yeltsin intensifies heat on gorbachev and just exactly why he did that and why he attacked gorbachev and accused him of plotting a dictatorship just as gorbachev was launching this peace initiative well we will ruminate about that a bit this evening and we will go into it in much greater length next week i'm going to take another musical break and then we're going to come back with the main body of tonight's archive show the destabilization of the ussr and eastern europe a

prelude to world war three at any rate we will now proceed with the main body of tonight's archive show the destabilization of the ussr and eastern europe a prelude to world war three and we will begin by taking a look at an individual uh with his politics i disagree fiercely but i think precisely for that reason the fact that he uh is of the same sorts of views as the people who have been running this country for quite some time i think his thoughts uh vis-a-vis president gorbachev's unsuccessful middle eastern peace initiative are worth going into here i'm going to read you now a section of an editorial from the san francisco sunday examiner and chronicle this from a sunday february 24th of 1991. uh this is by the editor of that paper william randolph hearst jr it's entitled a fateful weekend and i'm going to read you a short section of it there is reason to believe he acted here by the way is gorbachev there is reason to believe he acted primarily in the interest of preserving his political power and military support in the soviet union he has been under strong pressure from the soviet military high command to stop the allied attacks on iraq and prevent the united states from becoming the dominant superpower in the middle east iraq was the soviet union's main ally in that region and it purchased most of its weapons it first purchased most of its weapons and heavy military equipment from the soviet union the soviet leader is under constant pressure from moderate parliamentarians communist hardliners and disillusioned hungry people to step down

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hungry people to step down his chief political opponent boris russian republic president boris yeltsin has accused him of planning to establish a dictatorship in a television interview broadcast across the soviet union this week yeltsin called for gorbachev's immediate resignation gorbachev obviously hopes to mollify the military and restore his public popularity by becoming the man of peace and major influence in the middle east thus protecting the southern flank of the soviet union the danger is that his betrayal of western and allied arab interests in the iraq crisis may bring about a return of the cold war these last two paragraphs again because they're critical gorbachev obviously hopes to mollify the military and restore his public popularity by becoming the man of peace and major influence in the middle east thus protecting the southern flank of the soviet union the danger is that his betrayal of western and allied arab interests in the iraq crisis may bring about a return of the cold war well it is my belief and i've stated that before that that is exactly what the powers that be in this country have in mind i think they would like to restore the cold war for a variety of reasons and it's not just the powers that be in this country uh the germans have a phrase interesting mine shaft which means community of interests and there are a number of uh elements in this community of interests that i think would like to see are a return to the cold war and for a variety of different reasons in the first place uh the u.s national security establishment the military and the inextricably related defense industries would like to see a return of the cold war because that will mean uh increased us military spending and uh returned to the billions of dollars uh the record profits that were raked in by these industries and individuals during the reagan years beyond that i think the multinational corporations and it should be never never be forgotten that fascism was a direct outgrowth of the multinational corporations as we looked at in uh the

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corporations as we looked at in uh the well a number of archive shows uncle sam and the swastika the first two radio free america shows radio free america number 10 uncle sam and duchess and uh japanese fascism it's history and significance for contemporary americans uh multinational corporate capitalism industrial capitalism in general and fascism are inextricably linked to make a very long story very short fascism represented a militant armed response to the uh appearance of the first socialist country in the world namely the soviet union and the strong affinity between socialist movements around the world at least for a time and the soviet union we will be repeating uncle sam on the swastika once again this coming memorial day weekend those of you who are not familiar with this would do well to acquire those archive shows they in many ways represent the foundation for the rest of the discussion that i engage in and have engaged in for so many years here on one step beyond it is my opinion that the multinational corporations would like to see a return to the cold war at least for the time being in order to ensure a couple of things

first of all the eventual total demise not only of the communist party of the soviet union even though there has been democratization in the soviet union and even though uh there has been a proposed entry or a proposed market economy for the soviet union the fact of the matter is that as badly destabilized as it is the communist party of the soviet union is still the single most important power element and the multinational corporations do not want socialism marxist socialism in particular of any form anywhere in the world and they would like to see in my opinion and i think for the history and facts we'll bear this out uh the complete elimination of the soviet communist party the destabilization of the soviet union and a return to the cold war will be very destabilizing to the soviet union as we shall see our a return of the cold war would further weaken the soviet union and discredit the communist party of the

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discredit the communist party of the soviet union i think the multinationals would like to do that now the underlying reason that they would like to do that basically is the r word resources not only do the multinationals wish to proceed unchallenged in areas of the third world or any place where they wish to exploit the resources and also the population but in particular the soviet union is an enormous reservoir of minerals uh petroleum and a number of different items which the multinationals have long sought to exploit the conflict between countries like england germany the united states and russia predates the appearance of socialism uh basically the enormous booty the mineral resources of russia have long been sought by americans britain's germans japanese frenchmen and people who are in a position to exploit and profit from those resources that uh predated the soviet union but then when the soviet union came into being and became socialist that greatly magnified and amplified the desire to conquer that country or destroy it politically so that this huge huge reservoir of natural resources could then become available to the multinational corporations and the multinational corporations are the dominant power in the world today i think that the japanese and germans would very much like to see a return to the cold war uh now that germany is reunited and now that the soviet troops will be on their way out one way or another uh probably pretty soon the japanese and germans would like to see a return to the cold war for a couple of different reasons in the first place the united states will be economically weakened by a continuation of the cold war uh the continued channeling of so much of our national not only our capital but our research and development brains into military production will weaken us competitively uh that will benefit the japanese and germans and beyond that uh a continued

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germans and beyond that uh a continued weakening of the soviet union will see to it that the soviet union could never at any point uh become an economic power to rival japan or germany uh as ludicrous as that might seem assuming just for the sake of argument that the soviet union was able to make a transition ultimately to uh parliamentary democracy and a free market economy with their enormous resources and with an excellent educational system that it is within the realm of possibility that at some point in the future probably not for quite some time but at some point in the future the soviets also might be in a position well at that point it probably would not be the soviets but uh whatever the country would be called if it ceased to become socialist uh that country could rival japan and germany it's huge has a lot of resources and if they could get away from the catastrophic military spending which has cannibalized so much of their national wealth uh it is within the realm of possibility that sometime in the next century they also might be in a position to chop to challenge uh the emerging economic hegemony of the japanese and germans the economic dominance of those two uh quote former unquote access nations in the world today the united states uh has basically been channeling its capital into uh tanks rather than bulldozers uh to make a long story short uh there's a dynamic which i referred to from time to time i'll call the tank versus the bulldozer and it basically illustrates how military spending and civilian spending uh contrast basically to make a long story short and this is something of an oversimplification if capitalism is going to succeed capital must be invested in such a way as to generate more capital civilian spending is much much better in this regard just

consider if you spend your money on a tank what happens and consider if you spend that same money on a bulldozer what happens well first of all the tank is government issue it is paid for by the us government it is fueled and tanks burn a lot of fuel by the us government and the u.s government of course means you and i the u.s

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of course means you and i the u.s taxpayer it goes on maneuvers paid for by the u.s government it shoots machine gun bullets and shells paid for by the u.s government it uses spare parts paid for by the us government i.e the u.s taxpayer uh in other words you and i it uh its crew people and its service people are paid for by the taxpayer all of this serves obviously to add to the federal deficit it uh serves to drain uh capital and beyond the initial outlay for the contracts for the tanks uh they there is very little capital generated or not nearly as much capital generated on the other hand if you take that same money and you sink it into a bulldozer well the bulldozer is paid for out of the private sector its fuel is paid for out of the private sector the person who operates it is paid for out of the private sector its spare parts are paid for out of the private sector that does not drain the federal treasury that does not add to the federal deficit and beyond that and even more importantly the bulldozer creates apartment buildings it creates factories it creates movie theaters it creates shopping centers it creates houses and each of those things generate more capital if you build a shopping center people are going to go there they're going to spend money people are going to be employed there they in turn will be spending money if you build a movie theater same thing people spend money there people are employed there uh the people who are employees spend money all of that generates more capital you build a factory same thing that factory produces it produces for the civilian economy it employs people those people have discretionary income they spend that that generates more capital that's what it's all about in a nutshell the tank versus the bulldozer well in the reagan bush years we have been spending our money on tanks rather than bulldozers and that is one of the reasons why we are so rapidly losing our competitive edge in the world economy to the great delight and enormous profit of the japanese and the germans it is my feeling that they would like nothing better than to see a return to the cold war because it will further weaken us and it will see to it that the

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weaken us and it will see to it that the soviets don't ever become an economic rival as far off in the future as that might seem to be it is not outside of the realm of possibility with their educational system with a very heavy industrial base and with their enormous resources it is not outside of the realm of possibility that sometime in the next century with uh successful reform and economic regeneration uh the soviets themselves might challenge the japanese or germans well uh not bloody likely at least under the present circumstances and again it should be born in mind that the united states is run by its military and its defense industries the defense industries wield an enormous influence in this country one of the reasons why it is so important to look into the to investigate this country's political assassinations the assassination of president kennedy in particular is that it reveals just exactly how powerful and how deadly the defense industries are and the extent to which they are in a position to turn the national agenda and bend it to their will if they so desire one of the main reasons why president kennedy was killed was that he was seeking to end the cold war and to remove the united states from vietnam the defense industries and obviously the military as well did not like that generals don't get promoted in peace time for digging latrines they get promoted in wartime for fighting battles and hopefully winning them uh peacetime is not beneficial to the defense industry and it's not beneficial to the military uh war cold or otherwise is and uh president kennedy found that out the hard way or really he found out just exactly what they were willing to do that is to say he uh president kennedy was uh in the process of threatening those prophets uh unsuccessfully into his own obvious eventual demise anyways uh echoed those of william randolph first in that editorial that i just looked at were explorer set forth really in an analytical article which appeared in that very same edition of the san francisco sunday examiner in chronicle once again this is from the sunday examiner and chronicle of february 24th of 1991 as was that

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february 24th of 1991 as was that previous randolph hearst editorial this is an analysis article by a.s ross of the examiner staff it's headlined gorbachev loses his touch as bid for peace fails sub-headed bush circle suspects his withdrawal plan as attempts to save ex-ussr client and it reads in part as follows this attempt to stop the u.s achieving all of its goals in the gulf war is likely to prompt a reassessment in government circles of the soviet partnership said john hannah h a n n a h of the washington institute for near east studies again quoting the heroic age of u.s soviet relations as short as it was is gone now we're in for a period of damage control unquote most analysts say that damage control was in fact the prime motivation of gorbachev's initiative that once again was gorbachev's unsuccessful middle east peace initiative an attempt to forestall uh the iraqi military defeat beginning again most analysts say that say that damage control was in fact the prime motivation of gorbachev's initiative already incensed by what they regard as the giveaway of eastern europe powerful elements in the military and the communist party were voicing growing outrage at a similar abdication of soviet power in the middle east as moscow quietly as acquiesced in the u.s led campaign against iraq the terms of u.s soviet cooperation are becoming increasingly controversial in moscow said george breslauer bres la uer a soviet studies expert at uc berkeley quote gorbachev was already being accused of not just cutting losses but cutting bone now they have to watch as a former client gets creamed unquote in addition the soviets have legitimate concerns fighting is taking place just 500 miles from their southern border near the already restive soviet muslim population and recall last week i said that i felt that among the many goals for the us moving into the middle east and as i've said so many times and repeat once again when the u s national security establishment that is to say its military and intelligence services move

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military and intelligence services move on any major item they do so when that will scratch a number of different itches at different levels simultaneously and the biggest itch that is being scratched in the middle east in uh with this middle east adventure in my opinion was to put pressure on the soviet union as part of a destabilization effort an ongoing destabilization effort against the soviet union with the u.s having a huge military force rapidly deployed and successfully deployed on their southern flank and with the results of that being uh an obvious uh uh growing an obvious increase in uh us influence in that part of the world uh the government's there and the situation there figures to be a much more favorable to the united states for some time to come regardless of how long the u.s keeps substantial military forces in that part of the world it will be much easier for the us to project a large military force into that part of the world in the future even easier than it was this time and they certainly did it quickly and successfully the putting together of a very impressive military force albeit one whose success has been overblown by the american media still uh the impressive performance of some elements of the u.s high-tech weaponry has not been lost on the soviets and as we looked at last week in the first installment this has caused some serious reassessment by the soviet general staff in particular they have reassessed their air defense capabilities and it is no secret in the us in the soviet national security establishment that they feel that uh the reduced military spending by the soviets as badly needed as it is for their civilian economy we'll place them in a few years at a serious disadvantage vis-a-vis the united states uh and in particular vis-a-vis high-tech weaponry i mentioned last week that the u.s move on to the soviet southern flank with the destabilization of the baltics a critical area strategically for the soviet union represents an attempt to squeeze the soviets in my opinion and i think the projection through the national endowment for democracy and its

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national endowment for democracy and its uh organizations its organs its tools in lithuania namely the lcra lithuanian catholic religious aid and lithuanian information center by projecting fascist elements into or reintroducing fascist elements into lithuania they are deliberately seeking to provoke the sort of military response

which we saw a short time ago in which a number of people were killed by tanks and soviet troops and uh as we looked at last week uh the soviet crackdown on the baltics has been seen by the nato nations as proof that you can't trust the soviets and that we've got to stay strong we closed out the first installment of this archive show uh this archive series with an article which discussed that even as the warsaw pact is dissolving nato is preceding a pace and beyond that some of the former warsaw pact countries may very well be joining nato or at least uh seeking ties to nato that figures to have a similar effect on the soviets it's got to make them edgier and it figures to ultimately bring about uh the ascendance of hardliners and the military in the soviet union and that figures to restart the cold war with some of the results that i've already spoken about again uh i should repeat something that i mentioned last week arguably the most basic military maneuver in the g in military strategy is what is known as a flanking maneuver basically you get your forces around the edge of your enemy's forces uh this basically permits one or both of two things either you can attack the enemy from the rear and thereby destroying them or else the enemy has to redeploy forces to face the threat from the rear and this weakens his line of defense to a frontal assault it is again arguably the most basic of all and fundamental of all military maneuvers uh we saw a very successful flanking maneuver in iraq where uh faint was used to stay to basically keep iraqi forces facing the front while a large allied military force went around their flank and proceeded to tear up their rear and uh it is my opinion as i said that

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and uh it is my opinion as i said that uh the destabilization of the baltics and the u.s pressure on the u.s military adventure in the middle east rather represent in essence in essence flanking maneuvers and i think if this is intended to intimidate the soviets frighten them into uh basically returning to a hard line it is intended i think to provoke the soviet military and the this this provoked soviet military the the projected soviet crackdown obviously we've seen something of a crackdown already in the baltics will be used to restart the cold war uh for reasons that i have already discussed uh george bush was reportedly very annoyed although later articles said that uh he calmed down or that his opinion was moderated somewhat george bush was very angered by sir gorbachev's uh peace initiative in the middle east uh reading now from the san jose mercury news of thursday february 21st of 1991 once again the first two articles from the san francisco sunday examiner in chronicle from 224.91 this is an la times story dateline washington headlined gorbachev's peace efforts sapped goodwill with the u.s just reading the beginning of it soviet leader mikhail gorbachev has jeopardized his warm relations with the united states by pushing a last-ditch persian gulf peace proposal to win greater soviet influence in the arab world at the expense of allied goals u.s government analysts said wednesday bush is quote fighting his lip unquote to contain his unhappiness with gorbachev's diplomatic efforts according to one analyst who said the soviet president has done more to harm himself in washington than in the past 72 hours than he did by all the head knocking in the baltics unquote uh it'll be interesting to see just exactly what the response is uh uh the late great may brussel uh the foremost political researcher in this country in recent years uh used to refer to george bush's killer bush and that's an appropriate title just how apt was may's uh title i think has become clear in recent years bush

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has become clear in recent years bush has been in office a little over two years and so far he's averaging a war a year it should never be forgotten that bush is the former director of the cia you don't ever become cia director and leave and so far he has performed as the organ of the national security establishment he quite obviously is and has always been uh it'll be interesting to see what happens uh now that gorbachev has crossed killer bush instead of giving him uh everything he wants uh one of the things that we have gone into and we will be reviewing in weeks to come is how the galen spy organization the nazi eastern front intelligence organization which was imported into the united states at the end of world war ii uh became our department of russian and eastern european affairs where the cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs became the de facto nato intelligence organization and finally became the bundesliga not reconcondensed the bnd the west german intelligence service or i shouldn't say west german

that's a that's no longer applicable the german intelligence service which it is to this day uh the galen organization also has very strong historical ties to the anti-bolshevik block of nations a very important organization and key element of the world anti-communist league that has now been renamed and i must say i have not learned its new name it's as inappropriate as the national endowment for democracy it's something like uh the world league for the promotion of freedom or democracy which is ludicrous it uh is antithetical to both freedom and democracy uh it's one of the reasons why i haven't bothered to relearn its name the anti-bolshevik block of nations is inextricably linked with the galen organization and as we looked at in a miscellaneous archive show entitled nazis and anti-semites on george bush's campaign it maintains very close ties so that is to say the abn with the republican party and specifically the ethnic heritage council of the republican party we will be reviewing some of that in weeks to come as well and uh looking at some other information about the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations and its ongoing activities inside the soviet union and eastern europe it should be noted that uh

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it should be noted that uh just as george bush was very annoyed with gorbachev gorbachev as it has uh sounded a few chill notes as well uh bearing in mind the profound influence of the u.s national security establishment uh and the inextricable relationship of that national security establishment with the galen organization and the anti-bolshevik block of nations don't be surprised if dissident soviet nationals uh wind up assassinating gorbachev at some point one of the important historical lessons to be learned again from the assassination of president kennedy or studying the truth about that particular event is just how great the influence is of the us intelligence system with uh elements of dissident soviet nationalities uh those soviet nationalities or elements thereof were used to help assassinate president kennedy uh do not be too surprised if they wind up assassinating president gorbachev as well now that gorbachev has dared to cross killer bush uh it is my feeling that gorbachev may very well actually be the west's man or may have been one of the one of the unfortunate pieces of the one of the unfortunate aspects of the legacy of the galen organization is having looked at the ussr literally through hitler's eyes and we will be reviewing in weeks to come just how profound the influence of the gaylon organization on our perceptions of the world and the ussr in particular has been that also by the way will be a major element of the archive show that i the archive series that i do on the on how the united states lost the second world war uh again that will be the subject of a talk i will be giving for those of you listening live here on march 10th on april 13th i will be discussing this in part uh at uh foothill college now one of the aspects one of the tragic aspects of the legacy of the galen organization is that it's easier for an american to say what the soviet union isn't than what it is it is not the world gobbling monster we've been told

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world gobbling monster we've been told uh beyond that it is difficult for me to figure out exactly what goes through the soviet's minds if anything uh they look awfully naive to me uh i'll be talking about that in weeks to come i don't know what gorbachev has been thinking as he allows organizations like the unification church people like paul wyrick uh to operate inside the soviet union and very effectively uh it occurs to me that the soviets that gorbachev might even be the west's man or was for a time but he may just be a fool i don't know that's my own view as optimistic as people were and i share that optimism optimism for a time uh gorbachev seems to have allowed an almost suicidal at least from the uh well-being the soviet union an almost uh suicidal entry of not only people like reverend moon but people like jimmy swaggart uh reverend schuler from southern california have been allowed to operate and broadcast into the soviet union uh those elements have been very destructive in my opinion in this country and you really gotta wonder what goes through their mind uh i think the kgb likewise is not the uh insidious world gobbling force that we've been told uh they made my own impression of the kgb is one basically of incompetence uh that may be wrong again it's easier to say uh what they aren't than what they are because our whole view of that part of the world has been so distorted as a result of looking at things through the eyes of hitler's minion

reinhard galen but you really got to wonder what gorbachev is doing when he allows people like reverend moon to operate in the soviet union we shouldn't be allowing him to operate in this country but uh anyway he has done that and i wonder uh to what extent uh gorbachev could actually be compared with lee harvey oswald oswald was a us intelligence agent who was given a left cover and then uh infiltrated into various leftist organizations and obviously was assassinated before he could defend himself he was wrongly accused of being the assassin of president kennedy he didn't kill anybody there's no evidence whatsoever that he did and he stated that he said he was a patsy and he could prove it uh he did

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patsy and he could prove it uh he did not have the opportunity obviously uh there has been a lot of discussion uh in this country by right-wing elements people associated with lyndon larouche among others of the soviets running at large numbers of american politicians uh the larouche organization and associated elements basically use a technique called mirror imaging what mirror imaging basically involves is turning things around 180 degrees uh many of the things discussed in the rouge literature are accurate scenarios but they are switched at 180 degree political polarity things which the united states does are basically blamed on the soviets real scams but things which we're doing and they're being portrayed as soviet scams i wonder we can't say for sure but i wonder to what extent uh the united states in fact controls elements of the soviet political leadership or perhaps western intelligence notably the galen organization uh this again is a question it's not a statement i'm making it's a question i'm asking but you really gotta wonder what goes through some of those people's minds uh what in the world the soviets think they're doing when they allow someone like reverend moon to operate inside the soviet union and we'll be talking about that in weeks to come it's beyond me uh we shouldn't be allowing him to operate in this country in my opinion but uh it's obviously way too late for that but anyway i wonder if gorbachev has actually been used as a tool by the united states i certainly think he has been duped by the united states it may be that he's starting to wake up and uh he's starting to realize what is actually going on and uh gorbachev has uh basically warned of brittle relations in the united states with the united states reading now from the san jose mercury news of wednesday february 27 of 1991 this is an article by steve goldstein g-o-l-d-s-t-e-i-n of the night ritter news service its headline gorbachev warns u.s of chile soviet reaction if ceasefire is rejected it reads in part as follows soviet president mikhaïl gorbachev warned tuesday that improved u.s soviet relations could be jeopardized if the

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relations could be jeopardized if the white house did not soon accept a ceasefire in the world with iraq it was the first suggestion by the kremlin that the warmer relationship between moscow and washington could be chilled by u.s determination to continue the fight the u.s soviet relationship is still very brittle quote-unquote gorbachev said ah that has to i think get an award for understatement uh just how brittle it is i think gorbachev and a lot of other people are going to be finding out probably the hard way in the not too distant future i the sarcastic tone in my voice notwithstanding i am very disturbed but what i see going on uh i think there is a very distinct possibility that the destabilization of the soviet union which we will be talking about after a musical break uh could ultimately result in a third world war if the soviets decide to go quietly and just uh give up the ghost politically and strategically well then there will not be a third world war we'll have i don't know what the soviet union would be renamed when it's no longer socialist but we will have a capitalist russia of one kind or another but if the communist party of the soviet union and the soviet national security establishment in particular decide not to go quietly if they decide not to uh just roll over and go belly up uh there might be a third world war probably uh more as a result of miscalculation but who knows who knows what the boys in washington are actually thinking and beyond that uh the boys in bonn and tokyo we shall see but i am frankly very frightened by the prospects for the human race in the immediate future we will now take a musical break and then we will come back with more of tonight's archive show a very very important article which will serve as the foundation for much of the rest of this archive series and which will help to tie

together a lot of what we have spoken about to date music and then more of one step beyond we're now going to proceed with a very very important article from the current issue of covert action information bulletin specifically this article is from covert

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specifically this article is from covert action information bulletin issue number 35 that is the issue from the fall of 1990 covert action as i said earlier in the broadcast is a quarterly and uh this particular issue is one of the most important in my opinion once again i will give the address for a covert action information bulletin covert action information bulletin po box 34583 that's in washington dc 20043 that is the address for caib for those of you who might like to order this very very important issue in last week's first installment of this archive series i read almost all of an article called nurturing baltic reaction by philip benosky and now i'm going to read all of an article called a full court press the destabilization of the soviet union this is by sean gervaisi g-e-r-v-a-s-i and he is described here in the bio note as an american economist he has written a very very important article and i think quite correctly uh mr gracie has analyzed the reagan military buildup and a hard line toward the soviet union as a tool and apparently a very effective tool of economic warfare in the apparently ongoing destabilization of the soviet union this article reads as follows i'm going to read the whole article uh it speaks very eloquently for itself now what we're going to be looking at this evening is the external pressure being brought to bear on the soviet union and as i have explained i think both the injection of fascist elements into the baltics or lithuania in particular as well as the us military adventure into the middle east on the soviet southern flank uh represents pressure being exerted against the soviet union in essence in essence a flanking maneuver both on their southern and northern flank and i think that that is intended to bring about further destabilization of the soviet union by promoting and necessitating a hard line and even further military crackdowns this will be

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further military crackdowns this will be used to justify the cold war that will be used to further restrain the already badly shaken soviet economy by necessitating continued high levels of military spending i will read now a full court press the destabilization of the soviet union by sean gervacey [Applause] during the early months of the first reagan administration it became abundantly clear that the us was embarking on a policy of confrontation with the soviet union political observers had begun talking about a new cold war by 1982 relations with the soviet union were becoming tense as were relations with some nato allies in the u.s and in europe the bellicosity of the reagan administration gave rise to a growing fear of nuclear conflict yet if the u.s seemed intent upon confrontation even upon playing nuclear chicken quote-unquote with the soviet union it was not at all clear what it expected to achieve by doing so the reagan administration's policies were clear but the objectives of those policies were not many observers began to fear especially in europe that some members of the new us administration might actually want a nuclear war believing that the united states might somehow prevail quote unquote in fact the reagan administration was not driving towards nuclear war its extremely aggressive policies were not meant to lead to war but to change and upheaval inside the soviet union these policies were part of a strategy aimed at forcing the soviet union to retreat from the world stage and to adopt reforms which would carry it towards a regulated market economy quote unquote that is towards the dismantling of socialism continuing a few analysts had seen what was happening in 1982 joseph frohm made it clear that there was something quote behind the shift to a harder line in foreign policy quote unquote uh by the way that individual's name uh joseph frohm is spelled f-r-o-m-m that might not be the correct pronunciation once again repeating that last sentence or last couple of sentences a few analysts had seen what was happening in 1982 joseph frohm made it clear that

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1982 joseph frohm made it clear that there was something quote behind the shift to a harder line in foreign policy unquote the u.s was in fact waging limited economic warfare the u.s was in fact quote waging limited economic warfare against russia to force the soviets to reform their political system unquote from quoted an unnamed u.s official as saying that again quoting the soviet union is in deep deep economic and financial trouble by squeezing wherever we can our purpose is to induce the soviets to reform their system i think we will see results over the next several years unquote unfortunately such reports were few and far between at the time and those that were published appeared to have been forgotten observers in the west and in the socialist block have on the whole seriously misunderstood the foreign and military policies pursued by the us during the last decade these have been depicted as uneven and reckless because most and most analyses have one more time these have been depicted as uneven and reckless because most analyses have focused on surface phenomena such as the expansion of military forces or efforts to deny the soviet union new technologies rather than on the strategy behind such policies this strategy now needs to be examined and debated for two reasons firstly it appears to have achieved a considerable measure of success this is not generally recognized particularly among critics of the reagan administration from the center to the left conservatives however are openly arguing that the reagan administration set in motion the policies which led to quote the defeat of communism unquote the editor of policy review the flagship publication of the heritage foundation wrote recently that the west had quote won unquote the cold war because of the foreign policies pursued by conservative governments in every major country of the western world david rubinstein r-u-b-i-n-s-t-e-i-n a sociologist at the university of illinois was more specific quote the key difference in soviet policy between the 1970s and the 1980s he wrote again quoting is to be explained not by further deterioration of the soviet

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further deterioration of the soviet economy but in changes in u.s foreign policy unquote interrupting as we shall see the changes in the soviet economy and the changes in u.s foreign policy appear to be directly related that is in many ways the theme of what uh sean gervais is talking about here [Applause] [Music] secondly continuing with his text secondly there is substantial evidence that having succeeded in aggravating the crisis in the soviet union the u.s and its allies are now engaged in building internal pressures there for further reforms they are engaged in open large-scale interference in the internal affairs of the soviet union conservative conservative analysts are open about this rubinstein for instance expressed his concern that quote if the current sense of crisis is eased the motivation for further reform may be lost unquote and he concluded that again quoting if internal pressure was a key factor in motivating this policy of reform pressure may be required to keep it moving forward unquote well the key element of this section here and this uh many ways lays out the theme for the rest of gervais's article is that pressure on the soviet union both uh the military build up under the reagan years uh designed to intimidate the soviets into trying to match their the us military buildup with the resulting disastrous effects on the soviet economy and consequent uh destabilization and increased social strife inside the country that this is being pursued by the the reagan and now bush administrations and accompanied by direct inner interference in the internal affairs of the soviet union and as we saw as we shall see in another article from caib that we'll go into next week uh the heritage foundation and its founder paul weirich are directly connected to some of this interference and uh that pressure is believed to be needed here to keep the policy of reform proceeding forward reform i think uh should be taken in quotes we saw last week about some of the quote reform unquote elements that are being

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reform unquote elements that are being projected into lithuania courtesy of lcra lic and ned uh if that's reform i'd sure hate to see fascism continuing now with sean gervais's article one of the first public indications of the existence of a secret strategy to apply pressure against the soviet union came in march of 1981. richard pipes p-i-p-e-s a senior national security official in charge of soviet affairs gave a press interview which caused some which caused some controversy pipes a soviet expert on leave from harvard university told a reuters correspondent that quote nothing

was left of dayton unquote furthermore he said the new administration might soon pursue a foreign policy quote as radical as the new president's economic program on quote the reagan administration he told the interviewer was moving towards a strategy of confrontation with the soviet union and with radical and socialist regimes in the third world the purpose of the strategy pipes indicated was to change the world balance of forces in favor of the us and its allies the key sentence in the pipes interview was quote soviet leaders would have to choose between peacefully changing their communist system in the direction followed by the west and going to war one more time the key sentence in the pipes interview was quote soviet leaders would have to choose between peacefully changing their communist system in the direction followed by the west and going to war unquote and the new york times describes pipes as saying that quote there was no alternative to war with the soviet union if the russians did not abandon communism unquote repeating that sentence again and the new york times described pipes as saying that quote there was no alternative to war with the soviet union if the russians did not abandon communism unquote these words did not come from a middle level government official they came from the senior national security council officer in charge of soviet affairs and they were for that reason exactly seen as indicating a dangerous aggressiveness on the part of the reagan administration the pipes interview rang alarm bells around the world the white house immediately disavowed the interview

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immediately disavowed the interview claiming that pipes remarks did quote not represent the views of the administration unquote even so u.s allies protested vigorously the financial times of london warned that the u.s allies would be angered by any attempt to play what it called quote a dangerous game of chicken unquote then the storm fell as suddenly as it had risen and nothing more was heard of the matter in retrospect it seems likely that pipes was being used deliberately to alarm the soviets so that they would try to match the us military expansion then underway particularly in the nuclear field the pipes leak quote unquote is entirely consistent with a strategy of spending them into bankruptcy again quoting and unquoting or weakening russia's economy again quote unquote the last sentences again the pipes leak is entirely consistent with a strategy of spending them into bankruptcy or weakening russia's economy the strategy itself however involved much more than the threat of nuclear war a large number of studies by the rand corporation carried out in the early 1980s shed considerable light on the wider strategy and made it clear that the reagan administration was not preparing for war but mounting a sophisticated attack on the soviet economy the rand corporation is a california think tank which carries out a great deal of classified research especially for the military its experts move in and out of government and it is routinely asked to analyze and comment upon military and intelligence planning documents which are not accessible to an ordinary congressman rand like a number of similar organizations is in effect a part of the military intelligence complex many of the rand studies in question were commissioned by the department of defense and the published papers were often sanitized quote-unquote versions of classified studies the titles of the papers themselves were suggestive they included economic leverage on the soviet union the costs of the soviet empire sitting on bayonet's question mark of the soviet defense burden in moscow's economic dilemma unquote taken together these papers were

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taken together these papers were essentially concerned with two issues the first was economic stringency quote unquote in the soviet union especially from the late 1970s the second was what measures nato countries could use to make that economic stringency more acute these papers moreover developed a clear analytical line of argument which may be summarized as follows economic growth in the soviet union had begun to slow in the late 1970s increasing the difficulties of meeting the various claims on its resources at the same time the soviet union was entering a leadership crisis quote unquote as leadership of the communist party was being passed to a younger generation the united states and its allies could take various actions which would force the soviet union to increase its defense spending and its economic and military assistance to allies and friends they could also take measures to

deny the soviet union access to credits key imports and modern technology which is especially important for increasing productivity and accelerating growth such measures would either reduce the overall volume of resources available to the soviet union hold back the growth of productivity or force resources to be shifted from domestic consumption and investment each of these effects would aggravate the difficulties confronting the soviet leadership in a stagnant economy a combination of measures quote to impose costs unquote on the soviet union might be expected to lead to a fall in investment and or living standards a combination of such measures consequently might generate pressures within the soviet union for withdrawing from the world stage and for political and economic reforms thus the rand studies seem to be preparing the groundwork for a kind of hot cold war aimed at weakening and possibly even breaking the back of the soviet economy in the 1980s after a decade of daytime this was remarkable enough in itself it is clear however that analysts believe the ultimate aim of this strategy should be to force change upon the soviet union [Applause] thus the reagan of this uh quoting here from abraham becker uh economic

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from abraham becker uh economic relations with the ussr thus the reagan administration sees soviet economic troubles as an opportunity to complicate further their resource allocation dilemma in the hope that additional pressure would result in a real reallocation of resources away from defense or would push the economy in the direction of economic and political reforms unquote well this uh article and it's very well written so far i think speaks quite clearly for itself uh and i think his analysis is right on the money and uh we will continue uh with the theme he has sounded here we're going to finish the article where we'll be carrying this line of discussion forward into what uh has just transpired in the middle east and what i think is going to be transpiring in the soviet union and elsewhere in the not too distant future uh to make a long story short the reagan military buildup was not intended to fight a nuclear war it may i'm afraid wind up doing just that as a result of miscalculation uh but it really wasn't intended to destabilize the soviet union by straining the soviet economy to the breaking point and thereby obliging the soviets to abandon socialism i think it's worth noting here in this regard uh that the discussion which i undertook in radio free america program number three and resumed again in radio free america number 30 dealing with a profound relationship between uh the between a woman named helena fondam and ronald reagan helena fondam uh to make a long story short was ronald reagan's appointment secretary when he was governor of california she drew up the lists of all of the people from which ronald reagan made his appointments when he was governor of california she functioned in a similar capacity when reagan became president of the united states uh helena fondam had a relationship with otto von bolschming a key ss man and uh for a time a member of the galen organization that we've spoken about and then later head of a parallel organization to galen's in north america according to one report uh von bolschmann was galen's was head of galen's north american operation helena fondam had a long-standing relationship

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fondam had a long-standing relationship with the otto von bulswing which she now denies she admitted to knowing him socially was an investor in his company and had translated some documents for helena fondan the late may brussels maintains that in fact uh when she was uh speaking with reporter pete carrey of the san jose mercury news who eventually won a pulitzer prize for his work on the model and the marcos flight capital that uh helena fondam was in fact the protege of otto von bolstering that has never appeared in print but may said that that had been absolutely confirmed i do not have that information in my immediate possession but uh may wasn't wrong and uh that i can recall and her unnerving and frankly accurate forecasts have tragically come true the relationship between helena fondam and otto von bolschman should be born in mind as we examine this policy of destabilization of the soviet union by forcing them to match our economic our military buildup thereby straining their economy to the breaking point one of the things that i have spoken about over the years is the soviet uh the soviet the nazi concept of

shreklokite or frightfulness uh basically to make a long story short although they were certainly not the first people by any means to use terror in a strategic way the nazis uh raised their the use of terror to uh a science and formalized it in a way that had not been used before well they basically utilized what they called shreklokite or frightfulness to intimidate their opponents into doing what they wanted and i think the destabilization policy the expressed willingness to fight a nuclear war represents a a direct manifestation of shrekly kite and is indicative not only of the galen and german influence on our national security establishment but in particular of the fun bolshevik fandom influence on the reagan administration another of the important lessons to be learned from studying the real facts about the assassination of president kennedy as opposed to the fertilizer contained in the warren report is that on the 22nd day of november in 1963 uh explicitly fascist and nazi elements

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explicitly fascist and nazi elements came into ascendance in this country where we went into nazi connections to president kennedy's assassination in the guns of november part 4 and came back to them in radio free america shows 11 12 13 and 15 as well as a miscellaneous archive show called lee harvey oswald edwin walker and the fourth reich all of those available from archives on audio uh we see in richard pipes statements that the soviets must be prepared to give up communism or go to war a direct manifestation of shreklokite and shreklokite is basically what has been used here in order to destabilize the soviet economy by forcing them to attempt to match our military buildup [Applause] continuing now is sean gerbez's article the next section is entitled the reagan doctrine a full court press quote unquote the fact that the rand corporation and other think tanks were in the early years of the last decade studying the possibilities of the strategy in question does not prove that the reagan administration ever adopted such a strategy however in mid 1982 evidence began to emerge that the reagan administration had actually adopted precisely the kind of policy which rand had been studying and which pipes had referred to in may of 1982 a second white house official a consultant to the national security council met with a small group of reporters to give a background to give a background briefing the subject was u.s policy towards the soviet union according to one reporter the white house official outlined an extremely aggressive policy and his remarks actually alarmed some of those present helen thomas the upi white house correspondent said a dispatch about the senate dispatch about the meeting which contained the following passage quote a senior white house official said reagan approved an eight-page national security document that undertakes a campaign aimed at internal reform in the soviet union and the shrinking of the soviet empire he affirmed that it could be called a full court press quote unquote against the soviet union in basketball a full-court press is a strategy of maximum pressure against

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strategy of maximum pressure against one's adversary in every part of the court it is an onslaught a little more than a week later documents relating to the strategy were being referred to and quoted in the press on may 30th richard halloran h-a-l-l-o-r-i-n of the new york times published a report on the reagan administration's policy for fighting a nuclear war he had obtained a copy of the quote fiscal year 1984 1984-88 defense guidance secretary of defense kasper weinberger's controversial document on quote prevailing unquote in a prolonged nuclear war the secretary's guidance document recommended a major escalation in the nuclear arms race quite apart from that it indicated that many other measures were being taken to impose costs quote unquote on the soviet union hallerin wrote quote as a peacetime complement to military strategy the guidance document asserts that the united states and its allies should in effect declare economic and technical war on the soviet union unquote halloween also quoted the document directly as saying that the united states should develop weapons that quote are difficult for the soviets to counter impose disproportionate costs open up new areas of major military competition and obsolesce previous soviet investments unquote according to hallerin the documents also stated that the western trade policy should quote put as much pressure as possible on a soviet economy already burdened with military spending unquote i would interject uh they've done a damn good job of doing that to our economy as well uh to the great delight and ongoing uh well-

being and profits of the japanese and germans continuing thus halloran's article made it clear that many elements of a full-court press quote-unquote had been incorporated in the into the 1984-1988 defense guidance william clark then reagan's national security advisor hinted at the existence of a full court press at the time that one more time william clark then reagan's national security adviser hinted at the existence of a full court press at the time that the defense guidance document was leaked to the new

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guidance document was leaked to the new york times speaking at georgetown university on may 20th 1982 he described emerging u.s strategy as including quote diplomatic economic and informational components built on a foundation of military strength unquote clark was saying that cold war rhetoric policies towards east-west trade public diplomacy rearmament etc were all connected all part of an overall plan and he indicated that this strategy had a new purpose quote we must force our principal adversary the soviet union to bear the brunt of its economic shortcomings unquote by mid-1982 a number of studies press reports government documents and official speeches had revealed the existence of a clear coherent strategy towards the soviet union this strategy went well beyond the traditional policies of containment the reagan administration was seeking not to oppose soviet policies in the world but to destabilize the soviet union itself despite clark's remarks about the various components of u.s strategy it was still difficult to tell precisely what that strategy was no one had identified its constituent elements except in the most general terms so the outlines of the full court press were only faintly visible and the purpose of the strategy internal reform quote unquote in the soviet union was not at all clear the reagan administration's new strategy did not actually come into clear focus until the spring of 1985. it was then the gene kirkpatrick jean kirkpatrick provided a fuller description of the full court press interrupting of course kirkpatrick was reagan's ambassador to the united nations in a speech before members of the heritage foundation on may 10 1985 kirkpatrick described what she called the reagan doctrine which was in fact a doctrine setting out the general lines of u.s strategy towards the soviet union what i shall term reagan doctrine kirkpatrick said focuses on u.s relations with the soviet union and its associated states kirkpatrick was careful not to reveal too much about the aim of the full court press she described the principal aims of the

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she described the principal aims of the reagan doctrine as being quote to redress the correlation of forces stop soviet expansion clarify the nature of the contest unquote she did not mention internal reform quote-unquote as an objective of u.s policy but did emphasize the need to pursue these objectives simultaneously in the body of her speech kirkpatrick described the various components of the reagan doctrine in some detail something which no one had done previously and in so doing she made it clear that they were all part of a coordinated plan as william clark had suggested three years earlier according to kirkpatrick the reagan doctrine included the following important components rebuilding defenses that is expansion of u.s military forces developing new defenses including the strategic defense initiative development and deployment of advanced weapons in the us and europe withholding quote from our adversaries advanced technology of military importance unquote support for freedom fighters unquote that is low-intensity war and proxy war propaganda or what kirkpatrick called a response of the ideological level to semantic infiltration and moral disarmament unquote a foreign assistance program that would utilize aid to expand and preserve freedom unquote and i would note a couple of things here development and deployment of advanced weapons in the us and europe developing new defenses including the strategic defense initiative or star wars we're going to be coming back to that also notice low intensity war and proxy war once again it should be noted as i said in the first part of the broadcast that in many ways the us military adventure in the middle east was seen as a proxy war and the effect of u.s high-tech weapons was not lost on the soviet military high command and in turn is uh leading to pressure to not slash military defense and military spending i should say because that is seen by elements of the soviet general staff as placing them at a disadvantage vis-a-vis western uh

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western uh military and high-tech developments that again is proxy war and it should be seen here in my opinion as a continuation of the reagan doctrine expressed here by gene kirkpatrick uh interestingly enough she was making this point in a speech to the heritage foundation we will look at the heritage foundation its connections to elements currently operating inside the soviet union including elements connected to the middle emilia of boris yeltsin continuing here with [Applause] article kirkpatrick left out of her account a number of components or policies which were clearly a part of the effort to do the effort quote to redress the correlation of forces unquote and to stop soviet expansion unquote these included such policies as the destabilization of eastern europe the broad policy of economic as distinct from technical denial and the continuation of arms control negotiations to moderate the soviet response to the us military buildup overall kirkpatrick's is the best single description of the reagan doctrine on the public record it provides some insight into the general purpose of u.s strategy while holding back from giving away too much it should be clear that the reagan doctrine is the full court press quote unquote which some reporters had briefly seen three years earlier behind the buzzing blooming confusion of the shift to a harder line in foreign policy quote unquote i would also note here before we proceed that arms control negotiations were seen here as a strategy to moderate the soviet response to the u.s military buildup as i said earlier i think in many ways the quote end of the cold war unquote and things like the intermediate missile the intermediate range missile agreement in europe could be seen as analogous to the way in which adolf hitler was able to peacefully acquire a lot of territory before he finally had to fire the first shots in poland and uh it should not be forgotten that uh the

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it should not be forgotten that uh the quote sellout at munich in which neville chamberlain was portrayed as being uh duped by hitler uh appears to have been something more than that neville chamberlain was the political protege as we looked at in radio free america number one of sir monica norman who was not only head of the bank of england but an enthusiastic supporter of adolf hitler and an individual who actually funded hitler directly from the bank of england it should also be noted that neville chamberlain himself was a key stockholder in imperial chemicals which had a cartel agreement with ig farben the nazi chemical firm which was so intricate that during the battle of britain the royal air force actually had to pay royalties to ig forbin for the high tech the high octane aviation fuel it was using to shoot down the luftwaffe so the the sellout in munich and chamberlain's having been duped quote unquote by hitler uh appears to have been considerably more than that in my opinion in that of many other people uh what was basically happening was that hitler was being deliberately walked up to the doorstep of the soviet union and i think at least in certain respects of the arms control negotiations and what have been portrayed in the press as uh steps towards peace progress towards peace uh to a certain extent at least could be compared with hitler's acquisition of first the rhineland uh then austria then the sudetenland and ultimately all of czechoslovakia without firing a shot and it remains to be seen exactly what happens in eastern europe but we will be looking into events in eastern europe and uh it appears that uh to term the demise of soviet influence in that part of the world as uh the rise of democracy is at best premature and quite possibly uh the exact opposite of what is really going on continuing here with shawn gervaisi's article [Applause] the typical campaign of destabilization has involved two elements the first is external pressure the second is internal manipulation the attacker is bent on creating disruption

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reading this paragraph again because it's key the typical campaign of destabilization has involved two elements the first is external pressure the second is internal manipulation the attacker is bent on what the attacker is bent on creating disruption and turmoil in the target country but that is only its first objective the ultimate purpose is to produce political change typically a change of government a coup d'etat or even a revolution there can be no assurance however that disruption and turmoil will produce the desired political results therefore in most cases the attacking power also intervenes in the internal political process in the target country it does so in order to ensure that things move in the direction it wants this intervention is usually covert and it involves two steps the first is the identification of support for strengthening and even creation of political assets these are influential individuals civic groups trade unions youth groups cultural organizations and media organizations which are in conflict with or hostile to the government of the target country these assets are then manipulated and used to further the political purposes of the attacker this is what the united states and other western countries have been doing inside the countries of the socialist bloc and they have been intervening in the soviet union in an increasingly open fashion in mid 1982 at the very moment that it was starting a full court press against the soviet union the reagan administration was also preparing a large-scale intervention in the internal affairs of that country at that time the administration launched a remarkable initiative which was described as a quasi-governmental program aimed at promoting democracy in developing countries and where possible

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developing countries and where possible in communist nations unquote uh democracy here uh belongs in quotes if ever anything did the reagan administration has never promoted democracy anywhere least of all in the united states continuing here with gervais's account according to u.s officials the project was intended to place political aid to developing countries on the same level as military and economic aid unquote essentially the promotion of democratic forces overseas was to be achieved through opening fine open financing of political parties labor unions and newspapers and the provision of technical assistance one more time essentially the promotion of democratic forces overseas unquote was to be achieved quote through open financing of political parties labor unions and newspapers unquote and the provision of technical assistance previously operations of this nature had been the exclusive province of intelligence agencies they were generally viewed when detected as interventionist and illegitimate this new project democracy quote unquote was no less interventionist but it was well camouflaged it proclaimed the indisputable desirability of democracy and so cloaked itself in virtue a quasi-governmental institution unquote the national endowment for democracy would later be created to administer the project and the press dutifully reported that its launching quote would avoid the appearance that it is a united states government undertaking unquote interrupting of course it was the national endowment for democracy an inappropriately named organization if ever there was one which through lcra and lic as we looked at last week is projecting uh fascist elements into lithuania continuing here the really controversial issue of course was whether the project would be used to promote democracy quote-unquote in communist countries the reagan administration was determined to use it for that purpose in the spring of 1982 then secretary of state alexander haig said quote just as the soviet union gives active support to marxist leninist forces in the west and the south we must give vigorous support to democratic forces wherever they are located including

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wherever they are located including countries which are now communist we should not hesitate to promote our own values knowing that the freedom and dignity of man are the ideals that motivate the quest for social justice a free press free trade unions free political parties freedom to travel and freedom to create are the ingredients of the democratic revolution of the future not the status quo of a failed past there is no doubt that the phrases of failed past quote unquote and the democratic revolution of the future quote unquote were intended to refer to the present situation in the socialist countries and its hope for resolution subsequently the reagan administration harnessed many

forces to promote democracy quote unquote in the soviet union and other countries east of the odor these included the afl-cio us business private sector organizations some of which were intelligence agency fronts the national endowment for democracy political parties and foundations in nato countries and the republican and democratic parties by 1984 the program was well underway especially in poland and the soviet union it was in 1984 that richard pipes re-emerged to call attention to the possibilities in u.s policy towards the soviet union in an article in foreign affairs pipes explained how the growing crisis in the soviet union could and should be resolved in pipes view the soviet union was in a quote revolutionary situation unquote and he quoted lenin on the subject however what was lacking at the time he said was quote the subjective element the ability and will of social groups and social parties to transform the revolutionary situation quote-unquote quote-unquote in to a revolution that last paragraph again in pipes view the soviet union was in a revolutionary situation and he quoted lenin on the subject however what was lacking at the time he said was the subjective the subjective element the ability and will of social groups and social parties to transform the revolutionary situation into a revolution again quoting but a way could be found around even this obstacle as events in

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around even this obstacle as events in hungary czechoslovakia and poland have shown the only real way out of the crisis for the soviet elite was by reform and pipes noted that in the past they had quote consented to make changes only under duress caused either by humiliations abroad or upheavals at home that last sentence again and pipes noted that in the past they had quote consented to make changes only under duress caused either by humiliations abroad or upheavals at home unquote uh considering this regard uh the program last week uh the humiliation abroad iraq and uh the upheaval at home lithuania the in essence flanking maneuver both on the northern and southern flanks of the soviets that i put forth last week continuing at the time pipes was writing the full court press quote unquote had long been underway and it had begun to produce greater economic difficulties in the soviet union as well as humiliations abroad quote unquote in pipe's view the soviet elite had to be made to understand that reforms quote unquote were again quoting the price it must pay for its survival unquote pipes of course had a clear idea of exactly what the reagan administration was doing and planning to do to threaten us that survival again quoting the key to peace therefore lies in an internal transformation of the soviet system in the direction of legality economic decentralization greater scope for contractual and free enterprise and national self-determination unquote in short pipes was calling for the dismantling of socialism in the soviet union as he had indicated in 1981 the soviet union would either have to quote move in the direction of the west unquote or face the prospect of continuing humiliations abroad quote unquote unsustainable costs and greatly intensified pressure finally years before the crisis in the socialist countries assumed its present dimensions pipes called for exactly the kind of intervention which was being set in motion under the banner of promoting

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in motion under the banner of promoting democracy quote unquote the west he said would be well advised to do all in its power to assist the indigenous forces making for change in the ussr in its client states and that is just what the united states and other countries have been doing it is not possible here to examine the many means which the west has used to manipulate the internal situation in socialist countries over the last eight years it is not possible here to examine the many means which the west has used to manipulate the internal situation in the socialist countries over the last eight years but they have been numerous obviously throughout this period intelligence agencies in the west have been highly active inside the socialist countries although very little has been written or reported on the subject so it is difficult to know what effect covert actions have had on the situation what is striking today however is that so many public agencies and private organizations are doing exactly what intelligence agencies have done in the past government agencies foundations business groups media organizations human rights groups trade unions and others are all supporting and aiding opposition groups particularly in the soviet union they are openly aiding and guiding

forces hostile to the socialist governments they are in short actively working to produce that internal transformation quote-unquote of which pipes spoke six years ago one has only to read the documents of the national endowment for democracy ned the department of state and the u.s advisory commission on public diplomacy to understand the scale of this intervention what is equally striking is that this intervention is now openly talked about without the slightest criticism or protest from the congress the mass media or opposition political groups in our own country in january of 1990 at a meeting of the u.s advisory commission on public diplomacy lawrence eagleberger the deputy secretary of state called for an expanded role for u.s agencies in assisting anti-communist groups in eastern europe one of the things we need to do and president bush is clearly on that road

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president bush is clearly on that road with regard to poland and hungary is to establish a mechanism within the government that helps provide the opportunity for the private sector to engage itself directly in the polish experiment the hungarian experiment or other experiments that are about to take place in eastern europe unquote speaking at the same meeting carl gershman g-e-r-s-h-m-a-n the president of the mayor the ned told his audience that the endowment was already quote deeply engaged unquote in the election process in czechoslovakia and now uh mr gravezy's conclusion in the last section of this article the fact that the reagan administration set out to destabilize the soviet union in the early 1980s is startling in itself the ambitiousness and scope of the full court press have no historical precedent in modern in in modern us foreign policy that last sentence again the ambitiousness and scope of the full court press have no historical precedent in modern u.s foreign policy at the same time it is difficult to know exactly how to assess the effects of these us policies on the soviet union obviously a number of factors have contributed to the present chaos in the soviet union and the effort and to the effort to reintroduce capitalism there thus the internal situation of the soviet union might well have led to a deepening crisis over the years even without u.s pressure and manipulation however change might not have gone as far as it has or gone so rapidly and it might be that the new soviet leadership would have chosen to remain within the bounds of socialism something which it now appears to have rejected rubinstein may be overstating the case when he says that quote the key difference in soviet policy is to be explained and not by further deterioration of the soviet economy but in changes in u.s foreign policy unquote but he may not be far off the mark u.s policies have undoubtedly helped to move things very far very fast in the soviet union particularly in recent years when aid to the anti-communist opposition has involved annual expenditures in the tens of millions of dollars there needs to be further investigation of the facts before we can properly

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of the facts before we can properly weigh the importance of u.s policy in bringing about quote the end of the cold war unquote as this article indicates there is some question about whether the cold war is indeed over once that issue has been settled if it can be a host of additional facts deserve consideration not the least of which is the fact that the cost of the full court press quote unquote undoubtedly helps to create economic chaos in our own country well again that article i think speaks uh clearly for itself it's well written and i think it is absolutely right on the money we have been talking uh with the exception of the discussion of ned and lithuania about the external pressure being applied to the soviet union we are going to continue during the last part of tonight's archive show with discussion of the external pressure on the soviet union uh we will begin next week or we will resume really i should say next week with a discussion of the internal pressure on the soviet union as we take a look at the obvious interference in soviet political affairs by our national security establishment using various fronts and we will uh proceed with it from our discussion of uh the events currently going on in lithuania and we will talk about similar activities underway elsewhere in the soviet union in weeks to come we will talk about similar things going on in eastern europe as well one of the most important aspects of this article is the one of the most important sentences is a sentence where he observes that things can go wrong and during destabilization operations that's why you want to interfere in your

opponent's political affairs uh things may very well go wrong and who can say just what is going to go wrong but uh interfering in the affairs of a nuclear superpower is a dangerous business interfering in the affairs of a nuclear superpower is a dangerous business a couple of things that i think need to be researched in connection with the destabilization of the soviet union one is the chernobyl incident a fellow called up kgo am a major am radio station here in the bay area and claimed

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station here in the bay area and claimed to have been involved in the team that blew up chernobyl of course that further strained the soviet economy uh it placed a lot of uh strain on not only the soviet economy directly but on their food production uh the ukraine in which chernobyl happened is a major food producing area of the soviet union uh the possible involvement of the intelligence agencies and military of this country in chernobyl and a fellow actually called up to say that he had been involved in blowing up chernobyl and uh that uh no actually he called to say that he had sunk a ship and killed people who had been involved in blowing up chernobyl because they had become badly irradiated in so doing and it was deemed by the national security establishment to be uh dangerous to allow them to return obviously i cannot speak for his uh his verifiability and for his credibility he also has appeared that same individual on some fm stations with the same tale may brussel claimed that chernobyl in fact was deliberately instigated and set off by the united states that is something i think that needs to be looked at in connection with the destabilization of the soviet union and as crazy as it may seem to some people uh the us national security establishment has for some time projected that earthquakes among other natural disasters would be utilized as weapons of war in the 21st century the armenian earthquake uh of december 7th of 1988 coincided with a top secret military mission of the space shuttle uh it had devastating effects on the soviet union and particularly its economy it gave the united states a chance to assess the soviet civil defense capability which was had been uh as it turns out greatly overrated it also placed further economic strain on the soviet union it curtailed gorbachev's uh goodwill mission to the united states it also uh gave the united states a lot of medical data on the soviet union and now allowed the united states to uh project a lot of people inside the soviet union as chernobyl did and it

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soviet union as chernobyl did and it also allowed according to soviet authorities the shipment of a lot of weapons which came into armenia uh under the auspices of relief aid and as crazy as it will sound to some people i have seen indications that this projected earthquake technology might actually be under development uh the top secret missions of the space shuttle i think need to be looked at in this regard and the utilization of the so-called piezoelectric effect many minerals change shape when subjected to electric current that's basically the principle involved in the crystal in your watch vibrating i think the possibility and i'm not saying this is the case it's a question i'm asking not a statement i'm making but that the space shuttle which was in on a top-secret military mission over the soviet union supposedly putting a satellite into orbit and a surveillance satellite uh that that may have been connected to the uh armenian earthquake which further destabilizes soviets is something that i think needs to be researched we're only uh nine years from the 21st century at this point and they have been earthquakes that is have been projected as weapons of war in that century with the huge and largely secret military buildup under the reagan administration and now the bush administrations i think we need to uh consider that possibility it should also be noted that on the back page of the front section of the new york times at least the western edition for december 7th of 1988 there was an ad by the armenian americans association accusing gorbachev of having committed genocide against the armenian people that type of media display is often a an indicator of covert action and a component of covert action i refer in this regard i refer listeners in this regard to the work of fred landis who has done a lot of work on cia manipulation of media in countries that are undergoing destabilization and in particular the book death in washington by donald fried and fred landis which talks about operation centaur the destabilization of the allende regime in chile again vis-a-vis the armenian quake it's not a statement i'm making it's a question i'm asking but i

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question i'm asking but i don't think we should rule that out under the circumstances and i think it's something that needs to be researched we're not going to proceed with the last aspect the last section i should say of tonight's archive broadcast what we're going to be talking about is again the middle east war and aspects of it as a continuation of the reagan doctrine as a continuation of the full court press now next week we are going to be going into another uh article uh from this issue of the current issue of covert action information bulletin talking about interference in the internal affairs of the soviet union as part of this destabilization but in a continuation of the discussion from that excellent article and very well written article by sean gravasi of the external pressure being applied to the soviet union and again i want to consider the gulf war as a flanking maneuver as part of the reagan full court press intended to uh intimidate the soviets to spur continued high levels of military spending in the soviet union with the resulting it does a disastrous effect on the soviet economy and b in turn the destabilizing effect that those that the economic hardship will have on the soviet people and the pressure to quote reform unquote reading now from a very important article that appeared in today's san jose mercury news today being sunday march 10th of 1991. this is an article by jeffrey klein and it's entitled gulf war mother of star wars subtitled how sdi is being re-tailored to be with war's lasting legacy and it reads in part as follows before the debris from the first intercepted scud fell to earth the bush administration was ready to relaunch star wars quote unquote within a week the pentagon proudly announced the first successful in-space test of the seven-year-old 24 billion dollar strategic defense initiative or sdi program the same evening in his state of the union address president bush called for

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union address president bush called for more star wars money to pursue narrower objectives quote providing protection from limited ballistic missile strikes unquote the day he scorned saddam hussein's first withdrawal failure the president roused workers at the patriot plant with a speech obliquely warning congress that americans would gladly pay for the next generation of high-tech weapons and that elected elected leaders who resisted this risk political death when all the desert storm sand settles space-based weaponry will be seen as the war's main legacy this administration cares more about star wars than any other military or domestic program in the early 1980s then vice president bush along with senator dan quayle and representative dick cheney were among sdi's earliest and staunchest supporters last fall when the pentagon privately concluded that the patriot would fare well against the scud the administration quietly began retailoring its marketing strategy for star wars in the name of a ground-based defensive system akin to the patriots they'll be asking congress for expanded r d funds post-war this administration expects america will will buy back into manifest destiny let our military fulfill its natural urge to control space the decision to deploy weapons outside the atmosphere can wait for president quayle and the next section is called space test discloses underlying ambitions sdi's underlying ambitions were disclosed at the february first defense department briefing describing the program's first space interception a 426 million dollar project run by sunnyvale's lockheed missiles and space company an icbm with a dummy warhead was fired from vandenberg air force base 21 minutes later and 4 200 miles away the exo-atmospheric re-entry vehicle interceptor system or aeris e-r-i-s was launched into the question light was launched from the kwajalein atoll it rose to the atmosphere and intercepted the warhead some 160 miles in space because the stakes are so high during

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because the stakes are so high during development every r d dollar can represent as much as ten dollars if a prod if a production contract is won the unqualified success quote unquote the defense department reported should be suspect for example the day before the briefing a new york times exclusive illustrated the heiress's supercooled infrared

sensors singling out the warhead amidst a shower of 13 decoys the leak-proof sdi umbrella promised by president reagan came to mind but in fact the heiress found its undisguised target on a known trajectory amid two balloons well the point here again and recall the sean gervais article and uh the gene kirkpatrick statement that the sdi was a key component of the full court press uh one of the questions that i have concerning the gulf war and the the son of star wars program here the uh rejuvenated push for star wars is to what extent this had actually been anticipated uh it is a matter of fact that the us military that has long it doesn't just do things on the spur at the moment they have a long-term strategy and it is my opinion that the resuscitation of sdi under the uh illusion of the success of the patriot missiles incidentally the patriot missiles uh are have been reported to be considerably less successful than most of the american media have reported them as being uh there was an article in the san jose metro which indicated that in fact a lot more patriots had been fired and the interceptions were not nearly as successful as we had been told but the perception of the success of the patriot is now being used to sell star wars and one of the questions i have is whether the resuscitation of star wars will be used to put continue the pressure on the soviet union and continue to spur them to high levels of military spending it has been observed by many people that uh star wars would actually in all probability not be useful against a soviet first strike as unlikely as

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a soviet first strike as unlikely as that would appear at this time but rather would be much more successful against a soviet retaliatory strike after much of their uh retaliatory capability had been wiped out by the united states as the us move us military or potential us military and nato moved closer to the soviet union's borders bear in mind the article uh the articles with which we closed the first installment of this series uh indicating that not only is nato now resuscitated uh as a result as a result of the uh crackdown in lithuania and uh who the people are that are being cracked down there we took a look at in the first installment but beyond that that some of the former warsaw pact nations and that pact is dissolving are seeking to tie themselves to nato as well in order to prevent the soviets from moving back into that part of the world beyond that uh as i said the soviet u.s adventure rather in the gulf places a huge military force at least for the time being on the soviet southern flank it has uh put a scare into the soviet general staff concerning their air defense capabilities it has spurred a call and among the soviet general staff for continued high levels of military spending to avoid falling behind u.s high-tech weaponry it also is rearranging things politically in that part of the world that would make uh usa which will benefit u.s interests and make a future us military buildup that much easier one of the questions that i have here and it is my opinion uh that this is the case uh is whether the resuscitation of star wars has long been planned and uh the patriot missiles projected success against the scud obviously is the rationale under which this is being done i suspect that this is another aspect of the gulf war which in turn represents a continuation of the reagan doctrine now under george bush the full court press of which uh shawn gervais uh wrote so eloquently in that article that we looked at there uh

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uh there are indications that the gulf war had been planned for a long time and beyond that that saddam hussein was literally baited into moving into ira into kuwait of course the united states has long supported saddam hussein in the war with iran and as i indicated in the various discussions that i have had here on this program vis-a-vis the middle eastern war the gulf war when the u.s national security establishment decides to move on any given issue they do so when that move will scratch a number of different itches at different levels simultaneously the gulf war obviously has taken people's mind at least for the time being off the sorry state of the us economy which figures to get sorrier if we have to continue to uh spend all of this money on defense tanks versus bulldozers as i said uh it certainly has dramatically reversed the political fortunes of george bush who was uh being accused of waffling after his reneging on the pledge not to raise taxes uh it has brought in tremendous profits for the oil industry and george bush is an oil man it has averted for the time being some of the projected cuts in the defense budget and uh obviously now is being used as a rationale for pushing the continuation of star wars it's obviously has put the united states on the soviet

union's southern flank it is in the process of rearranging uh the middle east to suit u.s interests and those are just some of the things that appear to have been accomplished by the middle east war by the gulf war there are indications that again saddam hussein was deliberately baited into doing what he did and i think this should be considered against the background of the destabilization of the soviet union the full court press i'm going to read a very important article now which appeared in the london sunday observer of october 21st of 1990. this is an article by helga graham graha and it's headlined u.s oil plot fueled

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and it's headlined u.s oil plot fueled saddam subheaded bushman's secret new york meeting urged price hike and set the stage for iraqi dictators seizure of kuwait and as a very important article i'm going to read the whole thing into the record the u.s administration actively encouraged president saddam hussein to pursue an aggressive policy of higher oil prices seven months before the invasion of kuwait according to high-level u.s sources it was discreetly suggested at a new york meeting in january that iraq should engineer a big oil price rise in the organization of petroleum exporting countries or opec leaked transcripts of discussions between u.s diplomats and saddam hussein in the days around the invasion confirmed the bush administration's support for saddam's attempt backed by his army to kickstart his oil price rise the u.s administration helped this oil strategy by instigating a meeting between an american former ambassador who was a member of the foreign relations council and still used by bush on foreign policy missions and one of saddam's top ministers and closest associates the timing of the u.s move was significant in january saddam hussein was not the regional colossus of popular legend but a bankrupt dictator fighting for survival iraq as a result of the long gulf war and saddam's boundless armaments appetite was broke i would interject that we may find ourselves in a similar situation soviets as well continuing oil income of 12 to 13 billion dollars was insufficient to cover basic needs civilian imports will exceed 11 billion dollars this year of which about 3 billion is for food military imports will exceed 7 billion and other foreign expenditures estimated at about 1 billion so an extra 7 billion dollars was needed to cover current expenditure alone iraq's foreign debt about one billion dollars in 1979 had risen to a hundred billion dollars at the same time saddam had an army of seven hundred thousand to demobilize

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seven hundred thousand to demobilize with no jobs to go to and a mutinous officer corps plotting against him on january 6 a military coup only just failed to kill him skipping down on the article in these critical circumstances the former american ambassador put to the iraqi minister a proposition to raise oil revenue thereby throwing saddam a financial and political lifeline in january the oil price was 21 dollars a barrel but analysts expected that in the second quarter of the year prices would fall to about 15 as they did saddam could expect to be in even deeper financial trouble by the summer to meet the danger to himself saddam was advised to develop an aggressive oil policy by commissioning a study from the washington center for strategic and international studies a foundation with links to iraq i would interrupt that also has very strong links not only to the reagan and bush administrations but also to the u.s national security establishment as well continuing details of the report have been kept secret but a reflection of it appears in an interview given by henry schuler s-c-h-u-l-e-r the center street is the center's energy security program director on march first to the arab oil and gas journal in the article called the oil exporters are leaving money on the table unquote schuler advocates an aggressive oil price policy for arab oil producers he foreshadows precisely the strategy adopted by saddam asked whether the u.s presence in the gulf should be reinforced to make up for force reduction in central europe schuler says that the internal stability of the governments in the region is his main concern quote unquote but that the u.s was powerless in this respect how about the relation of this concern to oil schuler responds that arab oil producers could get 24 or 25 a barrel without consumers searching for alternative sources arabs were not following their self-interest why leave money on the table for american consumers and the government to pick up criticizing those who did so could be a popular course he observed in what reads like a warning to gulf governments

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like a warning to gulf governments this could be achieved by a change of policy in one or more of the key exporting gulf states quote one with the power to force all the states of the gulf to follow suit unquote schuler explains last couple of paragraphs again because they're critical here schuler responds that arab oil producers could get 24 or 25 dollars a barrel without consumers searching for alternative sources arabs were not following their self-interest why leave money on the table for american consumers in the government to pick up criticizing those who did so could be a popular course he observed in what reads like a warning to gulf governments this could be achieved by a change of policy in one or more of the key exporting gulf states quote one with the power to force all the states of the gulf to follow suit unquote schuler explains the easiest way would be by quote some change in leadership unquote in the second quarter of this year opec was already producing 2.1 million barrel dollar 2.1 million barrels a day more than was needed based on its quota kuwait's over production at this time was 18 of opec's total estimated excess while that of iraq and iran calculated on a similar basis was 10 in the third week of june the oil price fell to 13.54 a barrel the market could not support a price increase to anything like 25 at that point and cutting production to the quota would have raised prices by under two dollars a barrel according to one estimate the only solution left if iraq was to benefit was the deliberate change in policy expressed for pressed for by schuler under the leadership of one of one more time the only solution left if iraq was to benefit was the deliberate change in policy pressed for by schuler under the leadership of the one producer who could force it on the others iraq backing from the us for such a bizarre policy seems odd for a country which does not traditionally favor high oil

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does not traditionally favor high oil prices but there were other considerations both president george bush and secretary of state james baker are oil men and the u.s oil states louisiana arizona alaska and even texas were in dire financial trouble the u.s produces half the oil it consumes so higher prices were essential as an incentive for continued u.s production in 1986 the u.s had already acted to raise prices then oil prices had collapsed to 890 and production declined as vice president bush traveled as vice president bush traveled to saudi arabia to persuade king fod to pressure opec to raise prices fod agreed opec went back to its quota allowances and prices rose to eighteen dollars saudi oil minister sheikh yamani who had favored lower prices to obtain an increased share for opec was fired further there was u.s unease at becoming overly dependent on middle eastern oil an increase in oil prices was also a means of coping with security not just for iraq but in the gulf generally including saudi arabia the bush administration's connivance with saddam's attempt to raise oil prices can be tied down more directly first it is significant that when sadhun hamadi h-a-m-m-a-d-i iraq's vice prime minister began to persuade iraq's began to parade iraq's new views on oil prices around the gulf states in early july he demanded schuler's 25 dollars a barrel this precise figure also reappears in two transcripts of u s iraqi diplomatic exchanges embarrassingly embarrassingly leaked by saddam to us tv following the invasion of kuwait saddam is talking to the u.s charged affair in baghdad joseph wilson wilson i think the u.s situation is dangerous to the world saddam why because they're wilson because there is unrest in world markets saddam you did this we accepted 25

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we accepted 25 per barrel and in parentheses that is the observer's italics [Applause] saddam is saying here that the 25 formula was an american one supported by iraq further confirmation of iraqi u.s concurrence on the oil price appears in the records of saddam's meeting with the u.s ambassador in baghdad april glasbee g-l-a-s-p-i-e after iraq's mobilization against kuwait in support of its claims for higher claim for higher oil prices and money confronted by a dangerous military buildup glaspy says quote i have a directive from the president personally that i should work to expand and deepen relations with iraq she apologizes for the condemnation of saddam's regime as a dictatorship by a journalist for the u.s and for a journalist of the u.s information agency class b observes that the us does not wish high

oil prices saddam agrees but maintains that 25 is not high the u.s ambassador in effect concurs by rejoining that there are many americans from oil states who wish for prices higher than 25 dollars she adds that she admires his efforts for reconstruction and understands his need for money so far as oil is concerned quote my own estimate after 25 years of service in the area is that your aims should receive strong support from your brother arabs unquote glaspie then makes a crucial remark again quoting what we do what we don't have what quoting what we don't have an opinion on are inter-arab disputes such as are your border dispute with kuwait and james baker has directed our official spokesman to reiterate this stand one more time quoting april glass the u.s ambassador to iraq what we don't have an opinion on are inter-arab disputes such as are your border dispute within kuwait and james baker has directed our official spokesman to reiterate this stand american neutrality quote unquote must have done much to encourage saddam for in the previous months there had been any number of warnings of the violence

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any number of warnings of the violence of his ambitions none of which had elicited any u.s for proof in february saddam used verbal violence to prepare the ground for the later campaign to raise oil prices he took out of mothballs the 1960s anti-imperialist radical arab nationalist rhetoric historically linked to the arab sense of injustice as israeli aggression towards palestinians and an oil price deemed unfair to arabs the momentum slowly built up in february saddam proposed that the u.s fleet leave the gulf later that arabs removed their savings to eastern europe about as damaging to the u.s as proposing arabs transfer their funds to mars in april and may israel got a rhetorical drubbing at the baghdad arab league summit on may 28 the price of oil was mentioned for the first time as saddam accused the gulf states of waging economic war on iraq in february other crucial events occurred at the arab cooperation council meeting in amman according to top arab sources saddam brutally told king hussein of jordan and president hosni mubarak of egypt to make their friends in the gulf discord 30 billion dollars if they will not give it to me i will know how to get it unquote king hussein flew to saudi arabia two days later to inform king sa king fod fahd around the same time iraq started army maneuvers in the neutral territory on the kuwaiti border in march the kuwaiti foreign minister visiting baghdad was given a letter abrogating all border agreements between the two countries u.s iraqi complicity in these months went far beyond an oil price understanding in february according to u.s press reports at the time james baker was attempting to have a state department human rights report critical of saddam's regime albeit moderately suppressed huge credits to iraq were continued despite congressional sanctions waived by the president senator robert dole visiting baghdad two weeks later apparently to denounce iraqi weapons acquisitions was abjectly appeasing in private saddam released the transcript of their

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saddam released the transcript of their conversations dole even apologized for a voice of america editorial denouncing saddam's human rights record the journalist he said wrongly had been dismissed that article also speaks for itself there are obviously firm indications that the u.s deliberately baited saddam and into doing what he did certainly indications were given obviously incorrect that the u.s would not intervene if saddam invaded kuwait and uh the study commissioned by the the washington used to be georgetown university but a couple of years ago georgetown severed its connection with the center for strategic and international studies the center for strategic and international studies is a think tank with very strong connections to the national security establishment and also obviously to the reagan and bush administrations the that very same center has an individual named walter locker l-a-q-u-e-u-r [Applause] and this individual returning again to the theme of the destabilization of the soviet union and i went into that particular article because one of the things that i think needs to be examined here as i like to say so often food for thought and grounds for further research is whether or not this entire move into the middle east was planned a long time ago and in addition to some of the short-term political gains at home as well as oil profits uh and some of the other things i mentioned uh the use of the gulf war as uh in essence in essence a flanking maneuver on the soviet southern flank while uh we under the auspices of ned and in turn lcra lic inject fascist elements into

lithuania in my opinion to provoke a soviet crackdown i think the lithuanians are going to be sacrificial lambs and that we want exactly that i think those fascist elements there are intended to provoke a soviet response uh there i think we need to consider the gulf war as part of reagan's full court press against the soviet union obviously george bush is president now but he was

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george bush is president now but he was an enthusiastic supporter of this policy and an apparent uh collaborator in it reading now from the los angeles times of friday march 8th of 1991 there is an op-ed column by walter locker of the who is uh chairman of the international research council of the center for strategic and international studies in washington that of course is the same group that drew up that study that secret study advising the arab oil producing states to raise the price to 25 dollars a barrel this particular column by walter locker is headed saviors plot a return to the past it's called also titled perspective on the soviet union and sub-headed military hardliners would dismantle perestroika in creeping counter-revolution not an outright coup skipping down in the article talking here about uh the national salvation committees and uh the hardliners in particular people associated with the national security establishment of the soviet union and uh the overall theme here is that basically they're going to come to power they will undo perestroika gradually with resultant hardline towards the west and high levels and this is important here the most important point high levels of military spending which obviously will continue the economic pressure on the soviet union i think that we are deliberately provoking the soviets for that reason reading now part of this column in their public speeches the proponents of national salvation reject the idea of a military coup they accept the advice given to them by their well-wishers in government and party that creeping counter-evolution is greatly preferable to a violent bloody coup so far the strategy has worked the main liberals and leadership have been forced to resign political liberty and freedom of speech are more and more curtailed economic reform is virtually discontinued in foreign policy the

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discontinued in foreign policy the soviet union is distancing itself more and more from the west all this without great fanfare in fact the process is only dimly realized in the west preoccupied as it is with the gulf crisis but some of the main tasks have yet to be achieved the ouster of boris yeltsin and his supporters at the helm of the russian federation the dissolution of the liberal moscow and leningrad city soviets the suppression of the nationalist forces in the non-russian republics some of these aims might be achieved more or less peacefully albeit illegally in other cases the application of violence perhaps on a massive scale will be inevitable the honeymoon with the west and the hope for massive economic help will come to an end last couple of sentences again some of these aims might be achieved more or less peacefully albeit illegally in other cases the application of violence perhaps on a massive scale will be inevitable the honeymoon with the west and the hope for massive economic help will come to an end in his classic study the man on horseback the role of the military in politics the british historian s e finer f-i-n-e-r noted many years ago that the armed forces have three great political advantages over civilian organizations a mark over civilian organizations a marked superiority in organization a highly emotionalized symbolic status and a monopoly of arms but he also states that they lack moral authority and that they must either rule through civilian cabinets or pretend to be something other than they are the russian colonels agree on keeping the army strong meaning a higher military budget and are opposed to the disintegration of the soviet union they want to turn the clock back as far to turn the clock back as far as political freedom is concerned well it is my opinion that u.s policy both in the gulf and in the baltics and the full court press which we will go into more next week as we focus on internal intervention in the soviet union is aimed at doing exactly that

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union is aimed at doing exactly that this is aimed at destabilizing the soviets for the reasons that i have indicated eliminating for once and for all socialism from that country so that there will not be a large soviet uh socialist country in europe even though the soviets have proposed a return a an entry into a market economy and uh again our military our defense industries will enjoy this and uh last but not most assuredly not least the japanese and germans will enjoy this because that will keep us from being competitive as well two articles looking ahead to next week's program i'm not gonna read the articles just the headlines we'll talk about it more and i believe this is also indicative of the ongoing destabilization of the soviet union and i think this could result in a third world war conceivably uh depends on whether the soviets decide to go peaceably or whether somebody perhaps uh in a moment of desperation decides to fire off a missile or two sti notwithstanding reading from the san jose mercury news of monday march 4th of 1991 an article by peter slaven sle or slaven sle vin of the night raider news service dateline talin ussr headline estonia and latvia cast big votes for independence i do not think the soviet military will stand for that for reasons i've explained they're not going to want the u.s fleet operating and with impunity in the baltic they will not lose i don't think without a struggle the key of naval bases on the baltic sea and i think that ultimately this is intended to produce a crackdown for reasons that i have outlined reading now from the san jose mercury news from today sunday march 10th of 1991. la's story or a story from the la times dateline moscow headlined yeltsin intensifies heat on gorbachev we will talk about boris yeltsin his connections to elements of the american far right next week as we continue with this ongoing archive series the destabilization of the ussr and eastern europe a prelude to world war

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eastern europe a prelude to world war iii we are now going to speak with lanny sinking who has graced our airwaves before lanny for five years was in charge of uh was director of litigation for the cristic institute the non-profit law firm which is pursuing some of the key people involved in the iran contra scandal he has not left the cristic and is working on a book and he is now uh going to join us live from washington dc to talk about a couple of things which will kick off our discussion concerning the destabilization of the ussr and eastern europe a prelude to world war three this will begin the third installment of this ongoing archive series and good evening lanny are you with us i am indeed well first of all welcome back once again to the kfjc airwaves it's a pleasure to have you it's good to be here uh there are a couple of things that you mentioned to me lanny uh in a talk we had a couple of months ago actually one thing in particular that uh piqued my interest and frankly uh scared the expletive deleted out of me uh you have developed uh some information you have gleaned some information from a number of sources about the possibility of the compromising of a so-called soviet nuclear device uh could you tell us more about that well during the early stages of the middle east war i was making an effort to perceive what the covert scenarios might be at work within the middle east that would have prompted this war by the way uh there was an extensive op-ed column a by lanny sinking in the san jose mercury news i don't remember the exact date of that landing but it uh people right around the time that the war began i think it was either january uh 12th or 13th it was on a monday and it was on a tuesday uh there was a huge op-ed column by lanny outlining some of his views in that regard for people that would like to pursue it in the library excuse me for jumping in danielle that's quite all right in looking at the situation uh i saw one piece i was looking for was i knew that

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that the the most likely thing iraq would do once they were in kuwait would be to dig in and the question would be would the united states then attack or if they were going to attack how would they proceed to attack i watched as they went to the united nations there was always the possibility the united nations might say no bush administration went to congress that was the possibility they might say no and knowing historically that covert action often involves the term as false sponsor you create an event you attribute it to someone else and you use that event as the rationale for taking action right so i was looking for potential fault sponsors ways that this war could be started that

would be blamed on iraq when in fact it had been the united states that had set up the event i knew that there had been significant unrest in the soviet union in various republics and that there had been reports in the media of unrest republics where nuclear weapons were on soviet bases the newspapers said that the soviet authorities claimed that no nuclear weapons were in any way endangered or loss of control was no way threatened then one day i was watching a made for television movie and it was a fictional movie but at the end of the movie they ran a trailer and on the trailer it said that in fact in early 1990 in a soviet republic the southern soviet republic during ethnic unrest u.s intelligence sources had picked up information that a soviet nuclear weapon had been compromised that was the word used in the trailer and it didn't say much more so i applied those various pieces and started thinking about what that might mean i knew that ever since the soviet revolution we had had

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revolution we had had a great interest in influencing the soviet union and its future we'd had numerous agents inside the soviet union we had agents outside working with the group known as the captive nations exiles we've had a lot of connections with them and there were a lot of very right-wing fascist groups that were associated with the united states intelligence services i knew that after world war ii reinhardt galen's network had been plugged into the central intelligence agency so that we had agents throughout eastern europe and the soviet union that were part of the nazi network and the old czarist network so we had the capability of both fomenting [Music] exacerbating the unrest in the soviet union in order to destabilize the soviet union and perhaps the capability of snatching a nuclear weapon from one of those disrupted republics and if that was what was going on i was my next thought was well how would we move that weapon into the theater of war in the middle east and possibly use it as a false initiator and i'd reach that point in the in my speculations in my analysis when the report came out about the six iraqi helicopters defecting you may remember that one right that was later denied it appeared and then it was denied i've read a number of accounts about it they actually named the air base they named the commander the the base was put on alert they described the helicopters the type they were and it said that six of them came through two of them dropped into the desert the other four went on to a military base and all of the fighters that had been scrambled because these helicopters had shown up followed the four back to the military base so it occurred to me that the two that dropped into the desert would be a perfect way to plant such a device in the desert and save it in reserves it was right near the uh the saudi arabian kuwaiti border

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the saudi arabian kuwaiti border so that if you planted a nuclear device in that area and saved it for detonation later you could blame it on saddam hussein there had been a great deal of talk by the bush administration about saddam hussein's nuclear capabilities it was distilled down over the during the course of the war to the possibility that he could construct one crude nuclear device and deliver it by ship or over land but he didn't have an air capability of delivery well that fit right in with burying something in the desert near the border so i grew increasingly concerned that we may well have set up such an initiator event and i wrote both the op-ed that you mentioned that went to various papers around the country and a paper that i delivered to congress which included that potential scenario in it and asked certain members of congress to see if they could contact william webster the head of the cia or contact the military commander in the area and find out what those helicopters really were what the real story was i never did get any feedback on that i still think it's a possibility that's what was going on of course the bush administration got the approval from the u.n and got the approval from congress and proceeded to launch the war without a need for any kind of fault initiator it may also be that what we were looking at were helicopters used to ferry special forces personnel or commandos inside of kuwait and we now know that those special operatives were in fact very uh active inside there so it may be that what was spotted and perceived as defecting iraqi helicopters were actually presumably soviet-made helicopters with iraqi markings that were being used to transfer commandos to for various uh black ops inside of kuwait well my my assumption in the scenario was that the six helicopters were in fact a delta force

mission and that when the four landed at the air base they simply told the commander at the air base that they were dealt a

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the air base that they were dealt a force and that any knowledge of their mission should be denied and so then the story disappeared uh it was a there was a great deal of confusion with saudi arabian sources both confirming and denying u.s pentagon sources confirming with lots of detail and then not sure i think there was enough something happened there it made sense to me that a delta force mission that had to be denied would cause just such confusion oh obviously at least today we have not seen any sort of iraqi nuclear terrorist incident iraqi here belonging in quotes one of the things if in fact that intelligence trailer and have you have you learned any more about where they got that landing or that is that sort of a free-floating item after this it's a free-floating item out there i have to really go back and construct who made that movie and see if i can get back to where they got their report it would be interesting it should also be noted too that uh one of the techniques our national security establishment uses is they will float an impending scenario using fiction either a movie a television production or a book and use that to direct people's thinking in a particular direction so that when the actual event happens they go oh yeah that's just like thus and such right uh i wonder if perhaps that's what we were looking at uh one of the things that uh actually there's one other element here that i hadn't put in the analysis that occurred to me later that if that device was detonated it might be blamed on saddam hussein but if it was in fact a soviet device a later analysis might have led to blaming the soviet union right providing the device that is something that occurred to me as well another possibility that i think we should prepare ourselves for or examine is that if in fact civil war breaks out in the soviet union by the way lanny i have not had a chance to hear the news today i've been preparing my broadcast and i was at work earlier

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my broadcast and i was at work earlier in the day oh have you heard the results of the soviet referendum have they been made public no i've spent the day i'm working on a book and i spent the whole day working on it i haven't heard the news either so we both had our noses buried in our travails here uh one of the things that occurs to me and i've been developing a scenario over the past several weeks that among the motivations for the us adventure into the middle east and it should be noted that when our national security establishment decides to move in a particular direction make and make a major move they do so when it'll scratch a number of different itches at different levels simultaneously and one of the things that i think the u.s per gulf war represents is not only of a psychological warfare device against the soviet union it is reported that the soviet high command and hardliners are uh reevaluating their reductions in defense spending because they're concerned that their air defenses may now be vulnerable to u.s air attack that obviously would place further strain on the already badly overburdened soviet economy which will add to the unrest in the soviet union uh i also mentioned the sean gervaisi article in the current issue or the most recent issue of covert action information bulletin in which he talks about the rig and military buildup and the scary you know pro-nuclear war rhetoric as actually a means of scaring the soviets into trying to match our military buildup thereby bankrupting themselves and i think his analysis is right on the money uh one of the things that a compromise nuclear device might serve to do would be to further trash uh the soviet union if in fact uh the soviets disintegrate into a state of civil war as some people have predicted and uh as you noted with the legacy of the galen organization the captive nations committee the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations uh our national security establishment uh has no shortage of means of uh projecting forces into the soviet union and operating in that regard uh it might very well be that a device could

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might very well be that a device could be used to do two things one further trash the soviet union uh either eliminate

a major city or uh contaminate a major part of the soviet union this would uh not only do extreme damage to the country along the lines of what chernobyl did and by the way on the west coast here i don't think he's had any exposure in the east a fellow has appeared on a number of talk shows primarily on commercial stations and he has discussed uh the fact that he sank a ship i've forgotten his name he sank a ship he claims uh in the north atlantic which was taking out a group of us operatives who had blown up chernobyl he actually claimed that uh he would the people he said had become badly contaminated in uh blowing up chernobyl but that's it was feared that because they were badly contaminated and were going to die that they would blow the whistle on what they had done if they began feeling guilty and decided to make their peace with the lord before the inevitable happened so he claims that he was part of a secret team which sank the ship and killed them all before they could possibly spill the beans so there is actually you heard that one well it is he's appeared on a number of talk shows not not as a guest but via phone-in on the west coast and uh obviously that cannot be confirmed but i know may brussel among others uh analyzed the chernobyl event and said this was something that was deliberately induced interestingly enough and this obviously is not conclusive that's what i like to call food for thought and grounds for further research but uh mama danieloff's baby boy nick the journalist who was held by the soviets in 86 had written an article for u s news and world report shortly before the chernobyl incident indicating that uh soviet nuclear facilities were far below the safety standards of those in the west and that they could have a nuclear accident he incidentally was the son of an o'chrono officer the uh said this are tsarist secret police and there was a lot of interesting maneuvering around danilov uh reagan had said that he would not uh have any serious arms control agreements with he did not feel that at the summit conference there would be any uh need

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conference there would be any uh need for serious arms control negotiations and all of a sudden right after the daniel off situation he hot-footed it to uh reykjavik and was hobnobbing with gorbachev and had some very interesting uh tentative proposals to begin limiting nuclear arms uh i wonder whether perhaps danieloff might be a spy journalist interestingly enough daniloff was the source to which a spurious account which almost got the house selected media on assassinations taken out of business uh he the the accounts i've forgotten exactly what it was offhand but it uh resulted in an uproar which almost got the house select committee on assassinations dissolved that was attributed to him and that's and i think it's called codename zero the book by mark lane and dick gregory neither of whom i think a whole lot of uh talks about that but i wonder whether perhaps daniloff was one of these uh journalist spies which the cia has utilized over the years and whether perhaps that u.s news and world report scenario may have represented something along the lines of what i i fear that television movie might be namely uh a foreshadowing of an impending event so that we would see it in the way that we were uh intended to see it but i wonder whether we're going to see something along those lines if a soviet civil war should ensue well you know i have two reactions to that the first is how sad it is that our government the united states of america supposedly founded as a democracy with all the high ideals that that concept represents that people like us who i think of as loyal to that vision have come to the point where we would basically attribute any such act to our government because we've seen enough evidence to know that it's happening all the time what i would be talking about it would be something like a nuclear lepanca yes the second thing is i think if uh in in my analysis of the middle east war i projected that what we were trying to

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i projected that what we were trying to do was disrupt middle east oil supplies in order to make room for the soviet oil supply we know that the soviet union has drastically [Applause] reduced production of oil [Applause] many people don't realize that the soviet export of oil that was going on before the war was primarily iraqi oil that they were trading for military weapons so the soviets would give the iraqi military weapons the iraqis would give them oil the soviets would then sell the oil for hard currency on the international market that is fascinating because with

the disruption of the iraqi oil production capability that would eliminate the soviets uh one of their devices for obtaining badly needed hard currency well the sanctions cut them off immediately and when the sanctions went on iraq from the united nations they couldn't sell their oil the soviet union obeyed the sanctions and couldn't get the oil so right away the soviet union had a tremendous drop in their ability to export oil the soviet domestic production capacity is also deteriorated and there have been a number of reports the washington post on july 3 january 30th uh january 31st excuse me of this year talked about soviet oil exports were declining and the fallen exports were so precipitous that the soviet union might even plunge into a debt spiral according to an official of the soviet ministry of external economic relations and that they needed sizable investments including significant contribution of western expertise and technology to prevent the soviet uh oil industries continue to climb on february 10th they did a follow-up report where they talked about these fields that are being discovered in the soviet union which they referred to as elephants giant oil fields that pump hundreds of thousands of barrels of oil a day for years and years and years and they call them elephants and they were referring to the new oil explorers from the western multinationals as great white hunters

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multinationals as great white hunters and that the size of these fields is equivalent to saudi arabia and that with that much oil coming under the wing of united states and other western multinational corporations they would need a way of marketing that oil and they knew full well that if saddam hussein was pushed he was going to destroy the kuwaiti oil fields we could destroy the iraqi oil fields you take kuwait in iraq out of oil production for a significant period of time and you make room then for the soviet oil production to come online i think that was an integral part of the whole scenario in the middle east war that getting control of the soviet oil through the multinational corporations was the best way they could see of penetrating the soviet union's economic life and getting at all of the resources that the soviet union has and putting them at the disposal of the multinationals that this disruption of soviet political and economic life making it almost impossible for the government to deliver goods and services to their people would force them to turn to the u.s multinationals the u.s multinationals would in turn bring in their economic investment and their technology but the price would be soviet resources they would go in and develop the soviet union but the soviet union's resources would then be at their disposal which is something which uh western companies and western entrepreneurs have undertaken to do even before the soviet union was the soviet union this was this was a major goal of uh western entrepreneurs uh but during the period of the czar um we're going to be running short of time here lanny because i have a lot of other things to talk about so i wanted to run a couple of other things by you in this connection and by the way we will be speaking uh in weeks to come at some length so that we can explore some of your views on the macro economic and macro political aspects of the middle east war

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political aspects of the middle east war at the length that they really deserve but tonight since i'm doing a program specifically about the destabilization of the ussr i want to focus the discussion for the time being on a couple of other things because we're going to have to take our leave here again in weeks to come i hope to have you on and we can really stretch out at some length and explore this but if a soviet nuclear device is compromised and whether or not it goes off uh it could very easily serve as a pretext for among other things the continued development of star wars now with the alleged success of the patriot missiles i guess success but it remains to be seen whether what we were really told the truth about how effective they were but uh george bush seized on this in order to come up with sort of son of star wars i guess you could say or star wars too a limited star wars and uh with the instability in the soviet union and there are very serious indications that we are promoting that as hard as we can that is to say the us national security establishment uh whether or not it goes off the compromising of the soviet nuclear weapon could very easily serve as a pretext for continued star wars funding which uh would be appropriated under the rationale of seeing to it that we have a limited shield uh so that we can protect against you know a soviet nuclear loan nut you

know what a general or colonel who might decide to fire a missile on his own or some wild-eyed fanatics who might decide to pull something on their own what is your opinion of that well that i think is the kind of uncertainty they'd like to create to justify star wars of course the patriot missile had nothing to do with the star wars program it was developed independent of the star wars program but they've attempted to link the two and secondly i think their ultimate objectives in the soviet union are either to provoke a new wave of stalinism to have the hard-liners move in and take over again so they can restore the cold war and all that means to them which by the way lanny is exactly the scenario that i have been developing over the past several weeks go ahead and the

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past several weeks go ahead and the alternative is a disintegration of the soviet union into a third world series of countries that would all be dependent on western technology and investment for their very survival as eastern european which has become which is the scenario you have been developing here this evening right and i i think too uh congressman henry hyde recently said that uh with this tremendous success in iraq we should push on to continue forcing the soviet union down the road we want them to go making noises about encouraging the separation of various republics and all of that the the hard right wing is determined to dismember the soviet union if they can and that kind of pressure is exactly the kind of pressure that would bring on a stalinist reaction to prevent disintegration of the union and the soviets national security establishment the military and the kgb have already stated in no uncertain terms that they will not stand by and see the breakup of the soviet union that's right that's right and i think we're we're at a very critical time now boris yeltsin is playing a very uh important role that needs to be very carefully watched and boris yeltsin by the way is as testified to uh in the current issue of covert action information bulletin is very heavily involved with some of the same american far-right forces that have boosted reagan and bush so successfully well it's it's uh ironic to see boris yeltsin uh talking about democracy he was one of the most heavy-handed uh warlords in the soviet union under the uh old regime well democracy in the in the the twisted political lexicon the new speak of the reagan and bush administrations really could be seen as orwellian newspeak for uh fascism because that's really when they talk about democracy and when they talk about freedom when they talk about people being free they basically mean they don't want to have to pay them any wages you know well that's part of what it means i also think they have a sophisticated plan of introducing democratic process and then bringing in the computers to control it

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the computers to control it well we've certainly uh seen what they think of american democracy and uh the uh the work of the christic institute which you were so instrumental in uh helping to forward uh is one of the very few things standing up against uh martial law scenarios and i died by the way just before uh we had you on the air here was talking about my fear that among the things uh iraqi uranium or perhaps a compromised soviet nuclear device could be used for is a nuclear provocation in this country the mother of all provocations so to speak oh certainly it would be yes and and if i might dave for people that are interested in the analysis that you mentioned that was in the san jose mercury news i have a complete paper and a series of papers on the middle east where can people obtain that landing they can write to me it's l-a-n-n-y-s-i-n-k-i-n i'm a post office box 29492 washington dc 20017-9 for the whole series a contribution of 10 would be greatly appreciated all right why don't you repeat that one more time landing for the benefit of people that are not taping although i will also remind listeners that this uh discussion with lanny will be on permanent file with archives on audio as part of the archive series about the destabilization of the ussr but go ahead lane we have a lot of people who listen casually and uh some of them may have been scribbling furiously 29492 washington dc 20017-9492 okay well uh it remains to be seen whether uh you know dr jekyll and henry hyde scenario is uh put forward but it's uh it's important and it's terrifying and uh we will uh see as president eisenhower said the future lies ahead indeed it does and sometimes i wish it would it didn't because i'm frankly terrified about what the future holds well i i

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about what the future holds well i i have a great deal of confidence uh in the people of this country that you know they can they can seize our government with a national security apparatus and manipulate our policies and all of that but they're dealing with a population that has been exposed to the democratic vision we you know the civics class that we all took which i think they're probably not offering anymore because look what it did to us taught us that the government is supposed to serve the people the power resides in the people the government's supposed to be responsive to the people i think the new world order trying to impose the new world order in a country like this is going to be a very difficult undertaking well i hope you're right lenny uh they've they've been reasonably successful so far but on the other hand there are individuals like yourself who have thrown their weight against it and hopefully with the proliferation of the kind of consciousness which you exemplify we can stem the tide okay i hope so okay well listen lenny as i said uh we're going to move along because i have a lot of material to do on the ussr and eastern europe this evening i will be working on this series at least one more week possibly too but within the next several weeks i would like to have you on at some length and then we can really stretch out and explore these scenarios that uh you have outlined for us briefly this evening it'd be my pleasure okay well once again it's been both a pleasure and an honor to have you gracing the kfjc airwaves and uh once again these airwaves will always be open to you or should you want to communicate with this audience all right thank you dave okay thank you lanny good night good night now all righty well that obviously concludes our discussion with lanny sinking for this evening and as i said i will have him back in weeks to come i'm now going to take a musical break and we this will this this discussion represents the initiation of tonight's archive program the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war three and this is the third installment music and then the bulk of tonight's archive show we are now going to begin the when i shouldn't say begin we're going to continue with the third installment of the ongoing archive

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installment of the ongoing archive series which i may very well install as a radio free america 36 when it is completed it's called the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war 3 question mark and complete an article here which falls in line with what i discussed last week one of the points that i touched on last week was that and as we touched on in the discussion just concluded with lanny sinking one of the points that i made last week was that the success of the patriot missiles in the middle east war in the gulf war has been used by george bush to push for star wars and a really slightly scaled back version of star wars and in the sean gervais article that we looked at last week from covert action information bulletin number 35 that article is entitled uh full court press the destabilization of the soviet union uh gervais made the point and he by the way is an economist last name g-e-r-v-a-s-i gravesi made the point that in his opinion and i think he makes an excellent case the huge military buildup under the reagan administration and the very alarming rhetoric about fighting and winning a nuclear war and perhaps even reagan's little quip about we start bombing in five minutes uh that this basically was intended to frighten the soviets into trying to match our military buildup thus straining the soviet economy to the breaking point one of the things mentioned in some studies done by the rand corporation which appeared to uh have been a directly attended on this policy uh that was pursued by reagan involved the strategic defense initiative or star wars uh a missile defense system which would be used to protect the united states an anti-missile system used to protect the united states against a theoretical soviet first strike an article in the san francisco chronicle that appeared on thursday march 14th of 1991

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march 14th of 1991 uh gives uh further sheds further light on what we're seeing with the the new push for star wars and as i theorized last week the new push for star wars uh in my opinion uh may very well represent a continuation of that policy uh a challenge to the soviets to match our military buildup thereby straining their economy and further

uh entangling the already considerable social unrest in the soviet union which might even become the ex-soviet union if the united states gets its way reading again from the san francisco chronicle of thursday march 14th of 1991 this is an article by donna casata cass-a-t-a of the associated press at state law in washington and headline gop urges treaty change to permit star wars testing and it reads in part as follows a leading senate republican in an attempt to bolster the star wars program yesterday challenged the u.s soviet treaty restricting testing of anti-ballistic missile systems with the backing of the bush administration senator senator john warner of virginia introduced a measure urging the president to negotiate with the soviet union on quote reasonable adjustments unquote to the 1972 anti-ballistic missile treaty well if in fact those adjustments are uh made or if we decide to chuck the 1972 abm treaty that would open the way for star wars testing and that obviously would if the soviets decide to match it and uh their military uh strategic thinkers probably will attempt to do something that certainly will increase the pressure on the soviets to avoid military cutbacks thereby as i said increasing the military spending and thereby further burdening their economy and destabilizing their society if this treaty is thrown out it will obviously permit the united states to go ahead with star wars uh much more easily and again i uh mentioned that in in addition to many other things the gulf war appears to me

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other things the gulf war appears to me to be in essence a flanking maneuver aimed at the soviets and also a good example of the nazi technique of shreklike or frightfulness not only are the united states now on is the united states now on the soviet southern flank in a big way uh they have had devastating military success against some largely dated but some contemporary soviet air defense systems uh and this apparently has caused some serious alarm uh at least because of either air defense systems and possible reductions in military spending in the soviet uh military elite i read last week into the record an article in the london observer of october 21st of 1990 that indicates that the united states may very well have baited uh saddam hussein into invading iraq there are a number of indications that that that may be the case the most significantly a study commissioned for the arab oil producing nations in iraq in particular by the very conservative and reagan and bush allied washington center for strategic and international studies that encouraged an arab nation with the ability to do so quote unquote to put military pressure on and diplomatic pressure on its neighbors to raise the price of crude also a number of diplomatic signals were sent to saddam hussein including and most notably a conversation that u.s ambassador to iraq april glaspie had with saddam hussein indicating that arab border disputes were of no interest to the united states to what extent the refurbishing of the star wars program which itself i see as among other things in addition to providing new buckaroos for the defense industries uh is an element of what i see as a continuation of the full court press destabilization policy against the ussr that i outlined last week in that sean gervais article another uh element in the destabilization of the ussr the full court press that was discussed uh was the use of proxy war and i have discussed in the first

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and i have discussed in the first installment how the gulf war uh represented uh at least a per se a perception of the superiority of u.s arms over soviet arms and at least to a certain extent it has caused serious alarm in uh soviet military circles about the possible reduction of military spending which they feel might place them at a future disadvantage vis-a-vis the united states of bearing in mind again the phrase proxy war which was in the sean gervais article that i read into the record last week uh this this headline i'm only going to read the headline from the los angeles times of wednesday february 20th of 1991. this is an article by robert c toth or toth toth of the la times dateline washington headline proxy war u.s facing soviet tactics and weapons and subheaded combatants analysts see a laboratory for hypothetical east west conflict it may be that articles like this are intended to shape the soviet thinking along the lines of uh the way we want them to think namely seeing the gulf war as a potential triumph or as an actual triumph of american military technology over soviet military technology in order to spur them to avoid reductions in military spending with the effects that i have already outlined obviously we cannot say that for sure but

as i like to say food for thought and grounds for further research something else arising out of the gulf war and whether this was planned uh such as perhaps the star wars re the new star wars push was and again i can't say that for sure but i suspect that may be the case uh fft gffr and uh something else which has grown out of the gulf war and which certainly has to alarm soviet uh strategic and military planners is the fact that the germans who obviously have uh a history of aggression against the soviet union and uh of whom the germans are the soviets rather are rightfully afraid uh the germans are now discussing a wider military role for their armed

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a wider military role for their armed forces uh reading now from the los angeles times of thursday march 14th of 1991. uh this same article was exerted both in the chronicle and the san jose mercury news of that same day [Applause] this is an article by tyler marshall of the la times dateline berlin headline cole discusses a wider role for german military it reads in part as follows in a major speech chancellor helmut cole on wednesday moved closer to formally endorsing a wider role for the german military forces cole told the opening session of a two-day conference on the future of germany and europe that the country should reject a limited constitutional change allowing its armed forces or bundesware to participate only in token u.n peacekeeping forces and instead consider broader options skipping down while such a wider role for german military forces has been discussed informally as part of a debate about a possible constitutional amendment cole's remarks were the first in such a formal setting and seemed to set the government's position a proposal to amend the constitution is expected later this year quote the idea that german forces should operate outside europe or within larger integrated european units has not been put forward like this before unquote said eckhart erenberg k e e c a r d t e h r e n b e r g director of the research institute for security policy and international development in bonn again quoting it's new unquote cole's comments and the debate about the military role of united germany are a direct result of the persian gulf war although germany provided about 10 billion dollars to support the allied force financially constitutional wording was interpreted as forbidding the deployment of german forces outside the north atlantic treaty organization area well uh if in fact this uh proposal goes forward it will broaden the possibility for german military action and if we see

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for german military action and if we see a resumption of the cold war and uh as i have theorized and apparently uh lanny sinking also as theorized the u.s either wants to see a new cold war by forcing the return of a repressive stalinist type regime a hardline regime through in order to counteract the disintegration of the soviets or else the disintegration of the soviet union into a bunch of little third world countries that would then be uh at the beck and call of western multinational corporations for development uh certainly the possibility of an expanded german military role now a united germany with the loss of the codol sunny terror in eastern europe that the soviets used to have the warsaw pact has now dissolved the nato is going strong and as we looked at in the first installment of this series the soviet crackdown in the baltics is seen as a justification for the perpetuation and revitalization of nato uh it should be understood that soviets will be greatly frightened by the possibility of uh future confrontation not only with the united states but with a united germany that's a road they've been down before and i think this particular development also whether or not it was intended uh certainly has to contribute to the pressure on the uh soviet political and military thinkers to continue to maintain high levels of military spending it should be noted that in yesterday's papers although i'm not going to read it into the record of virtually all of the major newspapers yet in yesterday for yesterday yesterday being march 16th of 1991 discuss the fact that the uh soviets and the americans have reached an impasse on arms negotiations apparently the uh concurrence that has uh characterized recent soviet american relations is now coming to a halt the soviets don't want any more arms reductions at least not of the type the united states is proposing it should also be recalled that in the sean gervais article that we looked at last week of the

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week of the one of the stratagems of the full court press was to use arms negotiations to keep the soviets from matching the us military buildup and uh obviously uh the fact that they have been limited in some ways through arms negotiations has to again scare the living expletive deleted out of soviet military thinkers they now no longer have uh the pershing missiles facing them in europe but they no longer have their own considerably uh powerful intermediate range nuclear missiles either i suspect that uh at least part of the new soviet reluctance to limit arms may very well be due to the fact that uh the strategy uh the what i perceive as the continued full-court press strategy is in fact bearing fruit uh whether or not it was intended the gulf war also now is uh spurring perhaps a wider german military role and that also it seems to me will fit very nicely in whether or not it was intended fits very nicely into the full court press scenario developed by gervaisy that i feel the middle east war among other things is helping to further can't say that for sure but once again ffr food for thought and grounds for further research i noted here that uh this fellow eckhart erenberg says uh although the proposals have been put forward before it's new well let me tell you it is not new it may be uh something we haven't seen in a while but uh expanded german militarism is not new uh as william faulkner the novelist said the past is never dead and buried it isn't even past we're now going to proceed with one of the most important articles in the current issue of covert action information bulletin then once again this is covert action information bulletins issue number 35 from the fall of 1990 and i will give the address once again for covert action information bulletin covert action information bulletin po box 34583 box 34583

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34583 box 34583 that's in washington dc zip code 20043 this is an absolutely essential issue and there's a very very important article most of which i'm going to read into the record this evening the rest of which i will read into the record in a future installment probably next week this is an article by journalists russ balant last name b-e-l-l-a-n-t and lewis wolfe who is one of the co-editors of covert action information bolton incidentally and this is an excerpt from blant's publication the coors connection how coors family philanthropy undermines democratic democratic pluralism which came out in 1990 published by political research associates 678 massachusetts avenue suite 205 cambridge mass 02139 now this article is called the free congress foundation goes east once again co-authored by russ bellant and lewis wolf it reads in part as follows with the rapid pace of political change sweeping eastern europe and the union of soviet socialist republics many opportunities have emerged for western interest to intervene in the politics of that region in some cases such a vacuum has been created that virtual strangers to the area several years ago are now able to actively participate in changing those societies from within these interventions are not only being practiced by mainstream organizations the involvement of the united states far right brings with it the potential revival of fascist organizations in the east one u.s group the free congress foundation has been playing a role in eastern european and soviet politics and has ties to boris yeltsin and the inter-regional deputies group or irg in the ussr now once again this is the most important single element in this article on the subject of it the free congress foundation and we should bear in mind for future discussion that they are tied directly to boris yeltsin as we shall see continuing here with balant and wolf's article the free congress foundation or fcf was founded in 1974 by paul

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founded in 1974 by paul weirich w-e-y-r-i-c-h as the committee for the survival of a free congress wyrick who had started the heritage foundation the year before was heavily funded by the coors family for both organizations i would interrupt that uh paul ryrick is one of the uh major strategic planners and one of the major figures in the so-called new right why i call it so-called i will outline here later he is one of the individuals credited with the political action committees and direct mail techniques which help boost ronald reagan and later george bush into their present situations although as i've looked at in these archive shows the stage was set for the reagan and bush ascendancy by political assassination not paul wyrick continuing here but it should be noted that in addition to the survival the

committee for the survival of a free congress now the free congress foundation wyric founded the heritage foundation an absolutely pivotal right-wing think tank which again is very close to both the reagan and bush administrations continuing here and bear in mind that this organization as we shall see is heavily involved in the soviet union specifically with elements around boris yeltsin continuing with the article wyrick has kept one foot in the right wing of the republican party while dallying with the racist right and the extreme christian right in 1976 for instance he and a handful of other new writers william rusher morton blackwell and richard vigory attempted to take over the segregationist american independent party or aip formed by george wallace in 1968 the aip was an amalgam of ku klux klan and john bird society elements in 1982 wyrick published an essay in which he stated quote culturally destructive government policies racial hiring quotas and busing come to mind as examples are to the new right more immediately important in the realm of action since the damage they can do is enormous and practically irremediable unquote this

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practically irremediable unquote this apparent defense of quote white culture unquote is dangerously close to theories advocated by white supremacists today fcf's direct involvement in eastern europe began about a year ago at the urging of one of its directors robert kriebel k-r-i-e-b-l-e a retired connecticut businessman his krebel foundation backed efforts in late 1989 to send wyrick and four associates to hungary and the soviet union including estonia to help train right-wing leaders in ideological and electoral matters i would interject here estonia is now one of the baltic republics pushing for independence wyrick stated upon his return that his visit to moscow was quote the most incredible experience of our lives unquote there he worked with the irg of the supreme soviet a leadership body of the communist party he says that they were unequivocally in favor of private property a market economy and the restoration of religion the irg was established by andres sakharov boris yeltsin and others in the summer of 1989. by the end of that year a training school had been established for candidates to put forward the irg program their electoral success this year propelled yeltsin to the leadership of the russian soviet socialist republic he immediately began forging collaborative relationships with the deeply reactionary leaders of the lithuanian sejudis party the irg has also served as a source of right-wing pressure on gorbachev to dismantle socialism and the soviet union itself now recall in the very first installment of this archive series i analyzed another very important article i read into the record another very important article dealing with uh sejudis and the restoration of fascism in lithuania because sejudis is inextricably linked with the history of lithuanian fascism and it's interesting to see boris yeltsin now uh hooking up with sejudis uh an ironic name perhaps instead of s-a-j-u-d-i-s it should be spelled s-a-capital j-u-d-a-s because it looks

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s-a-capital j-u-d-a-s because it looks like that's basically uh where they're at said judas and and it should be noted here as before we proceed into this particular article that in the sean gervais article that i read into the record last week the destabilization paradigm involves two basic elements the first is external pressure and i have spoken about that in the first two installments the second is internal manipulation and i'm going to re-read a short section of the sean gravezy article uh again this is called the the full court press the destabilization of the soviet union by sean gravezy and a section of it reads the typical campaign of destabilization has involved two elements the first is external pressure the second is internal manipulation the attacker is bent on creating disruption and turmoil in the target country but that is only its first objective the ultimate purpose is to produce political change typically a change of government a coup d'etat or even a revolution there can be no assurance however that disruption and turmoil will produce the desired political results therefore in most cases the attacking power also intervenes in the internal political process in the target country and that brings us again to the article which i'm going to resume with the free congress foundation goes east we've looked at external pressure including uh in my opinion the resuscitation of star wars and perhaps perhaps the resuscitation of wider german military involvement and we're now going to proceed

with the free congress foundation and its activities with irg and boris yeltsin and uh this is one of the vehicles that appears to be being used for internal political manipulation in the soviet union the second of the two pincers described in the sean gervaisy destabilization paradigm continuing with this article one of the key dangers in this agenda is the political vacuum it creates allowing

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with the third reich which reflects the fact that the onun was politically and militarily allowed with hitler and the nazi occupation of the ukraine the onun an international semi-secret cadre organization headquartered in bavaria has received financial assistance from the late franz josef strauss the rightist head of the bavarian state strauss also had a working relationship with wyrick wyrick fed speeches for strike wyric fed speeches by strauss attacking germany's day taunt with the ussr to us senators who would then insert them into the congressional record when strauss came to washington wyrick was the person who helped set up his itinerary another indicator of the anti-democratic character of the fcf's foreign policy is its co-sponsorship of freedom fighter newsletter freedom fighter edited by charles moser is published from fcf offices in conjunction with jack wheeler's freedom research foundation it reports on and supports the military operations of renamo in mozambique unta and angola the nicaraguan contras and similar groups in southeast asia northern africa and afghanistan particularly telling is their support of the south african-sponsored renamo operation which even the state department has denounced for its scorched earth terror and murder of more than a hundred thousand mozambicans uh pausing at this point we should look here again at the affiliation between charles moser described as the treasurer of the fcf board and the elements grouped around the onun in radio free america number one and radio free america shows 14 and 15 we took a look at the onun its work with the third reich its work with the galen organization and its work with not only the central intelligence agency when the galen group became part of the cia but also we took a look at it as a major element in the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations or abn we're going to take a look at abn later on in this particular article uh the anti-bolshevik block of

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article uh the anti-bolshevik block of nations is an organization as we shall see which goes back to 1943 and literally a link with the third reich and it is one of the major elements in the world anti-communist league a major vehicle of uh both a major fountain of foreign policy inspiration and a major vehicle for covert action in the reagan and bush administrations we also took a look at o-u-n-u-p-a and uh the abn in a miscellaneous archive show entitled nazis and anti-semites on the george bush campaign that uh was aired in november of 1988. that also by the way are based in considerable measure on work done by russ bellant the co-author of this article and again the involvement of o-u-n-u-p-a which incidentally is also an organization along with the abn which has links going to the assassination of president kennedy as we looked at in radio free america 15 this is an organization directly connected or linked i should say to charles moser and moser involved as we see here very much with fcf continuing with this article despite his long associations with anti-democratic elements wyrick has been able to get money from the national endowment for democracy or ned the congressionally funded agency designed to intervene openly in the politics of other countries most recently he was granted forty thousand dollars to pass along to the initiatives foundation in moscow which is a non-profit affiliate of the irg the money is intended to assist in the purchase of communications hardware including facsimile machines duplicators computers desktop publishers video cameras and vcrs and supplies in a recent fundraising appeal sent to select in a recent fundraising appeal sent to select potential donors that wirey claimed that in every election except romania every group they trained won the elections in a videotape accompanying the letter he says that fcf trained boris yeltsin's campaign manager

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others dealing with other eastern european nations formally in the soviet bloc in uh forthcoming broadcast probably next week or maybe the week after that among the fcf conducted training programs uh balant and wolf list moscow soviet union november of 1989. over four and a half days in training sessions co-sponsored by fcf and the academy of national economy under the soviet council of ministers some 80 soviets one fourth of whom were members of the supreme soviet or the house of deputies and members of the key opposition force irg were given intensive indoctrination in quote levels of political thinking development of tactics strategy goals and decision-making in a campaign unquote the participants were trained in quote the political techniques of recruitment of volunteers

organization of volunteers identification and turnout of volunteers election day activities the building of coalitions and methods of communicating with the voters unquote fcf says unabashedly again quoting we trained the yeltsin group in its effort to win control of the russian republic that last sentence again fcf says unabashedly quote we trained the yeltsin group in its effort to win control of the russian republic unquote we're going to come back to this particular section of the article later on another of the fcf training programs listed here by beland and wolfe tallinn estonia november of 1989 talina's t-a-l-i-n over a four-day period fcf trainers met with some 70 members of opposition groups whose main agenda is independence from the ussr fcf set forth information on quote political strategy and organizational politics unquote the estonian heritage society the estonian national independence party the popular front in tallinn and the estonia citizens committee provided the trainees and skipping down then there are others as i said listed here in various other areas of eastern europe

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areas of eastern europe moscow leningrad and spread love's soviet union april 1990 spread lofts by the way as s v e r d l o v s k building on the close working relations that it developed between one more time building on the close working relations that had developed between the free congress foundation and the inter-regional group some 60 people in moscow were divided into small groups and taught through role-playing exercises these exercises focused on governing at the executive legislative and judicial levels of local regional and national government in spread loves 235 persons performed similar role-playing exercises in leningrad 45 people attended the fcf personnel one more time in leningrad 45 people attended with the fcf personnel playing the role of the judiciary in these meetings participants were lectured about quote how free enterprise operates unquote and skipping down those are those are the fcf training sessions most recently a delegation of six senior soviet political and economic opposition figures and officials met in washington dc with senior level us officials at a conference entitled quote the coming russian american alliance in the post-communist era unquote the october 2nd through 4th conference co-sponsored by fcf and independence university were closed to the media the delegates were treated to a one-hour meeting with vice president dan quayle the soviet participants included arkady murashev who has been schooled by fcf in moscow murashev is m-u-r-a-s-h-e-v-r-k-d-a-r-k-a-d-y continuing murashev is the executive secretary of yeltsin's irg also in attendance were yeltsin's chief of staff gennady berbulas g-e-n-a-d-i b-u-r-b-u-l-i-s national security commission chair and former soviet navy lieutenant commander vladimir lopatin

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vladimir lopatin v-l-a-d-i-m-i-r-l-o-p-a-t-i-n minister of publishing and information mikhail poltarin polterannin p-o-l-t-o-r-a-n-i-n people's deputy and head of the siberia legislative district stanislav celenif uh celeznef i should n say s-e-l-e-z-n-e-v and commission on economic reform chairman s sulakshan s-u-l-a-k-s-h-i-n these are the people uh who were in attendance at this conference in washington dc along with our katie murashev the executive secretary of yeltsin's irg very closely allowed with and trained by obviously the free congress foundation of paul ryrick charles moser etc continuing boris yeltsin recently injured in an automobile accident sent a letter to the combined delegates stressing his to combined delegates stressing his political program quote we seek to create an economic system based upon universal market mechanisms and the sacred right of every person to property the entrepreneur will become the chief actor in our economy unquote those in attendance from the us included housing and urban development secretary jack kemp assistant secretary of state john bolton b-o-l-t-o-n deputy energy secretary henson moore assistant commerce secretary for international economic policy tom dusterberg d-u-e-s-t-e-r-b-e-r-g former assistant secretary at the pentagon richard pearl former assistant attorney general william bradford reynolds burton yale pines of the heritage foundation former governor of delaware pierre pete du pont and two long time cold war advocates from local academia charles moser and peter redaway r-e-d-d-a-w-a-y notably caib has learned that free congress foundation coordinated the arrangements for the soviet's visas directly with dan quayle's office rather than through the state department recall uh once again that uh charles moser is

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uh once again that uh charles moser is the fellow link with the ukrainian quarterly and connected uh with elements grouped around uh the oun continuing with the article arcadine murashev has visited fcf's washington office three times during visits to the u.s further wyrick has noted that leaders of the newly formed russian christian democratic party came to fcf offices in july they told the fcf their party platform and their belief that quote only a religious and moral rebirth will open the pathways to beneficial transformations unquote president gelev zelev of bulgaria also received was also received at fcf in september that man's name is z-h-e-l-y-v and z-h-e-l-e-v continuing those seeking guidance from the fcf for a quote religious and moral rebirth unquote would be well advised to consider the company that fcf keeps the free congress foundation is generally identified with the secular new right rather than the religious new right but in fact it melds both currents of rightist activity although structurally one organization fcf could be seen as a dozen semi-independent groups housed in one office complex and with one boss the fcf divides many of its activities into centers quote unquote there are centers for government and politics law and democracy cultural conservatism state policy conservative governance child and family policy foreign policy transportation policy catholic policy and the new freedom and democracy in the fcf's 1988 annual report the center for catholic policy states quote the public policy influence and activity of the catholic church in america often runs counter to the interests of catholic laity the center for catholic policy seeks to instruct conservative catholic laity how to become influential in shaping public policy stands taken by the church unquote the fcf report says that a quote network

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the fcf report says that a quote network of some 40 national catholic organizations institutions and publications which share a generally conservative viewpoint unquote was formed by fcf in january 90 1988 and called the siena group capital s-i-e-n-a according to the fcf again quoting among the top priorities of the siena group in 1988 was mobilizing opposition to a u.s catholic conference statement on aids policy which was favorable to the objectives of the gay and lesbian rights movement siena group participants convinced the bishops to set aside the aids document this last section of the article uh is a very important one well the whole article is very important i'm going to analyze it in just a couple of minutes uh the person that uh we're going to be focusing on here is an individual we spoke about in the aforementioned miscellaneous archive show nazis and anti-semites on the george bush campaign that aired in september of 1988. this individual is named laszlo pastor l-a-s-z-l-o-p-a-s-z-t-o-r and he is an individual uh not only uh who's not only stems from fascist hungary it should be recalled in addition to uh germany italy and japan the access also involved bulgaria romania and hungary all of those countries were fascist and fought alongside the third reich against the soviet union and also the united states uh laszlo pastor goes back he uh was a hungarian fascist he also was heavily involved with the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations that key and most reactionary element of wacke that i spoke about earlier speaking about his uh connection here to free congress foundation the inappropriately named free congress foundation finally fc is now continuing here with bill and wolf's article finally fcf's insinuation into the politics of the east must be judged by their selection of laszlo pastor to head their

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of laszlo pastor to head their liberation support alliance quote which seeks to liberate peoples in central and eastern european nations unquote pastor's involvement in east european politics began in world war ii when he joined the youth organization of the arrow cross the nazi party of hungary when the arrow cross was installed in power by a german commando operation pasdor was sent to berlin to help facilitate the liaison between the arrow cross and hitler pastor was tried and served two years in jail for his aerocross activities after an anti-communist government was elected in hungary in 1945. he eventually came to the u.s and established the ethnic arm of the republican national committee for richard nixon he brought other nazi collaborators from the eastern front into the gop some were later found to have participated in mass murder during the war i would interrupt that is the organization the

republican ethnic heritage council uh that uh we spoke about in the aforementioned miscellaneous archive show nazis and anti-semites in the george bush campaign continuing here with balant and wolf's article the dormant arrow cross has surfaced again in hungary where there have been attempts to lift the ban on the nazi organization pastor spent several months in hungary when paul weirich later conducted training there he was provided a list of pastors contacts inside the country weirich reports that he conducted training for the recently formed and now governing party new democratic forum pastor claims to have assisted some of his friends in hungary in getting ned funds through his advisory position with ned recall that ned is the organization which through lcra lithuanian catholic religious aid and the closely allied lithuanian information center is re-injecting fascist elements into lithuania under sejudis we looked at that in the first installment of this archive series continuing with the article pastor seems to have assisted some of

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pastor seems to have assisted some of his friends in hungary in getting ned funding through his advisory position with ned in 1989 he spoke at the heritage foundation under the sponsorship of the anti-bolshevik block of nations or abn a multinational umbrella organization of immigrant fascists and nazis founded in alliance with hitler in 1943 it is led by the own pastor spoke for the quote hungarian organization unquote of abn which is the arrow cross and now balance conclusion here those leaders and cadre trained over the last year by free congress foundation's traveling tutors were led by paul weirich and company to believe in themselves and the goals set before them however they aren't on wirex mailing list however they aren't on wirex mailing list of key opinion shapers so they aren't aware of his real assessment of them quote but of course communists will behave as communists and they are going to try to undercut democratic forces whenever they can democratic leaders such as havel gelev or lonsburgs are not entirely prepared to cope with such situations in fact former communists such as boris yeltsin appear to be more capable of producing real change than those eastern european leaders are mainly because as communists they learned how to use power there are only a few non-communists like arkady murashev who know how to do things right unquote fcf's involvement in eastern europe has begun as a result of their expertise in electing u.s conservatives to office this campaign expertise has enhanced their reputation in national politics but their ties which suggest an ultimately anti-democratic agenda including their immigrant fascist and christian fascist involvement have gone unexamined free congress foundation's advocacy of a narrow range of social conformity and literal repression of non-conformists in the u.s can be found in their detailed literature on the subject it is reasonable to expect that those in the east seeking aid for the new arena

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the east seeking aid for the new arena of electoral activity may not know fcf's deeper agenda it is up to americans to communicate that warning and to challenge ned tax dollars to fcf that certainly certainly legitimize it in the eyes of some political groups in the east and uh that uh something of an understatement uh i don't know how effectively people could communicate with people in the east but uh we will now take a musical break and i'm gonna come back we will continue with tonight's archive show and specifically i'm gonna uh recap and analyze uh the major points of this very important and very well written article by russ pollant and lewis wolf as i said we are now looking at some of the vehicles for the internal intervention in the soviet union and my guess is that ultimately the soviet hard-liners and their military will crack down rather than see people like this fragment the soviet union now remains to be seen but they have already stated that they will not stand for the breakup of the ussr we shall see what happens a musical break and then a continuation of tonight's archive show i'm going to analyze and sum up some of the major points of this very important article by the way there are some connections of the free congress foundation to other eastern european countries which i will be talking about in a future installment of this archive series probably next week basically after having looked at in the first two installments uh the external pressure being applied on the soviet union that's part of the binary paradigm put forward by sean gervais vis-a-vis destabilization

we did look at internal uh interference in lithuania in our first installment that is part of what i see as in essence a flanking maneuver both on the soviet southern flank with the gulf war and on the northern flank with an attempt to destabilize and split away from the ussr the baltic republics a key a strategic area for the ussr now this evening with this article we're

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now this evening with this article we're taking a look at internal manipulation of soviet politics one of the main vehicles for this is the free congress foundation founded by paul weirich one of the individuals credited with the political organization that helped boost ronald reagan and george bush to power also an individual who founded the heritage foundation a key right-wing think tank with very strong links to the bush and reagan administrations one of the key people on the fcf board is george moser of washington university at george washington university professor who is on the editorial advisory board of the ukrainian quarterly and closely linked with elements grouped around the oun that is a ukrainian nationalist and fascist organization that we've looked at in past archive shows and uh it's quite obvious that the free congress foundation is not a democratically inclined organization at least not from the information we see here uh the ned the national endowment for democracy has been working with the fcf and the key element for us to remember here is that the free congress foundation is very close to boris yeltsin and we should bear in mind that the free congress foundation as a direct outgrowth of the american far right and so we now see boris yeltsin and his organization directly connected to the american far right and uh it should be noted also in addition to the successes that the uh free congress foundation has enjoyed in the ussr that an individual that they have boosted into uh the their uh uh to head their liberation support alliance is a fellow named lazlo pastor who as i said earlier is a hungarian fascist an individual connected to the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations and an individual that we looked at and again just like paul weirich he's not only connected with politics in the eastern europe that he's also very closely connected with politics in the united states as we looked at in that miscellaneous archive show and it should be noted too that

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and it should be noted too that uh paul that laszlo pastor is connected with the anti-bolshevik block of nations one of the key elements of that is the oun as we looked at in this particular article we've looked at the anti-bolshevik block of nations uh in radio free america shows 14 and 15 as well as the miscellaneous archive show that i alluded to nazis and anti-semites on the george bush campaign and we also took a look at the anti-bolshevik block of nations in the guns of november part four when lee harvey oswald returned to the united states he was met not by the fbi or cia but by spas reikan of the friends of the anti-bolshevik block of nations we came back to those connections in a big way in radio free america 15. it should be noted that the anti-bolshevik block of nations as indicated here was founded in alliance with adolf hitler in 1943. the abn uh an element very close to the reagan and bush administrations represents a direct link between the fascism of contemporary america and what appears to be going on in eastern europe and the soviet union and the fascism of world war ii it is as william faulkner said the past is never dead and buried it isn't even passed we will be coming back to the abn and laszlo pastor in weeks to come in this particular archive series again i have theorized that the united states is attempting to provoke a new cold war in order to further destabilize the soviet union or else it is going to uh split attempt to split the soviet union up into its constituent republics which would then be exploited by western multinational corporations i think that the hard-line crackdown the return to a cold war is the most probable scenario i can't say for sure i've made mistakes in the past but i cannot somehow see the soviet national security establishment sitting by and uh tolerating the dismemberment of the soviet union they have already stated that is to say the soviet military and kgb have stated publicly that they will

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kgb have stated publicly that they will not stand for that now in the first installment of this archive show i spoke about uh mikhail gorbachev's unsuccessful peace initiative vis-a-vis the gulf war as an attempt to stave off this in essence american flanking maneuver on the soviet southern flank i read a short section of an article from the los angeles times of wednesday february 20th of 1991 i will re-read that uh section of the article this is an article headline soviet peace proposal falls short bush says and it's subheaded diplomacy president president is critical of the plan but officials say it has not been rejected iraq's response to initiative calling for pull-out is expected today it's by james gerzenzang g-e-r gerst gerstenzang g-e-r-s-t-e-n-z-a-n-g of the la times dateline washington it reads in part as follows president bush on tuesday through cold water on the new soviet peace plan saying quote it falls well short of what would be required unquote to end the gulf war skipping down although details of the plan remain secret the soviets have described it as quote fully in line unquote with the united nations demands for an unconditional iraqi withdrawal from kuwait but the plan also reportedly offered assurances of no penalties for iraq or its leadership along with other controversial points this came out the day after uh this particular edition is the day after this proposal was put forward it should be noted that the the day after gorbachev put this peace initiative forward we find the following gorbachev must go yeltsin says it's by john thor dahlberg d-a-h-l-b-u-r-g of the la times it's headlined madeline moscow and it reads in part exploding a political bombshell on live nationwide television boris n yeltsin issued an unprecedented unprecedented call tuesday night for soviet president mikhail s gorbachev's immediate resignation charging that

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immediate resignation charging that gorbachev's reform drive is degenerated into a quest for boundless dictatorial powers uh it is interesting that we now we find as we've seen in that excellent article by melant and wolfe that boris yeltsin and the irg are very closely connected with the free congress foundation a direct outgrowth of the american far right with explicit fascist elements included in it and uh it is uh interesting to see yeltsin issue this blistering attack the day after gorbachev issued the peace proposal in my analysis also incidentally that of the william randolph hearst jr of the san francisco examiner an individual with whom i have very little in common he also saw the gorbachev peace initiative as an attempt to protect his southern flank uh it's interesting that we see yeltsin himself obviously directly connected to the forces of reaction in this country attacking gorbachev i suspect i cannot prove obviously but i suspect that those two things are directly connected uh it should be born in mind too that the free congress foundation has been heavily involved in teaching uh techniques of political organization to uh the organizations that it is taken under its uh wing uh reading again from this covert action information bulletin article by the way this is once again covert action information bulletin issue number 35 from the fall of 1990 the address covert action information bulletin p o box three four five eight three p o box three four five eight three that's in washington d c two zero zero four three once again covert action information bulletin po box 34583 washington dc 200043 and uh in going back again to a short section of the free congress foundation article by belant and wolff in one of the training sessions by fcf

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in one of the training sessions by fcf in moscow in november of 1989 the participants were trained quote in the political techniques of recruitment of volunteers organization of volunteers identification and turnout of volunteers election day activities the building of coalitions and methods of communicating with the voters and it's worth assessing that as we watch uh yeltsin and his his machinations and in particular as we see these huge demonstrations against gorbachev uh taking place in the soviet union it should be noted that secretary of state james baker is uh dallying in his meeting with people from the dissident soviet republics this obviously constitutes a blatant interference by the united states in the internal affairs of another country i've been losing to see how the united states would react if soviet leaders began meeting with uh dissident uh american political activists and uh uh making the sorts of demands on us that we make on the soviets but uh an article which are an op-ed column which i think

portends very badly for the future appeared in the new york times of wednesday march 13th of 1991. this is an op-ed column on foreign affairs by leslie h gelb g-e-l-b the new york times uh i believe he's their military affairs specialist but i may be wrong maybe he's a diplomatic affairs specialist it's called bomblet in moscow and it reads in part as follows secretary of state baker may have a bomblet to drop friday in moscow his meeting with leaders from 12 soviet republics including boris yeltsin mikhail gorbachev's blood rival mr baker also planned separate talks with leaders of the rebellious baltic republics these as yet unannounced contacts in the heart of mother russia are scheduled to occur only days before sunday's nationwide referendum on the preservation of the soviet empire and in the face of mounting demands for mr

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the face of mounting demands for mr gorbachev's resignation skipping down speaking of a huge rally that took place in moscow demanding that gorbachev stepped down this happened a few days ago until last sunday the idea of revolution seemed remote to most administration experts then with upwards of a half million muscovites swapping the streets and calling for mr gorbachev's resignation the alarms went off soviet experts in the administration began thinking about the r word quote unquote the size and discipline of that rally gave off the scent of revolution of soviet reformers demonstrating street power quote unquote and people power on on quote-unquote like their successful soul brothers in eastern europe reformers knew their chances of taking charge through elections and legislative means are very slim they are not nearly as well organized nationwide as the communist party the moscow rally however may have convinced many opposition leaders that they can carry off a winning revolution their strategy could be to overwhelm the hard-line forces by staging another mass demonstration in moscow letting it spontaneously overflow into government buildings and hoping it will trigger uprisings in other republics that prospect does not trouble some administration officials who believe with the soviet reformers that mr gorbachev has permanently sold out to the hard-liners and that revolution may be the only way to eliminate them both well it is doubtful that the kgb and the soviet military are going to stand for that but uh it's worth noting and again i suspect that that will represent that will provoke a hardline regime and a return to the cold war i suspect that that is one of the options that the united states seeks there's more to that in just the united states i will talk about that when i get into the archive series uh about how the united states lost the second world war but uh the return to uh a cold war that would be precipitated by uh the reintroduction of stalinist techniques in the soviet union uh is something which figures to result

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uh is something which figures to result from this again it's possible that the soviets will simply sit by and let their country be dismembered but i wouldn't bet on it and uh this kind of dabbling by james baker meeting with the leaders of the rebellious baltic republics we've taken a look at uh lons berges and cejudis uh in the first installment of this broadcast and meeting with boris yeltsin directly connected to the free congress foundation uh this is something which figures to uh provoke the soviets and uh it's not something that i think we can view as a positive development one of the things mentioned in this particular article once again the free congress foundation goes east is that boris yeltsin has had connections with palmyot the lead what is described in this article as the leading soviet uh fascist organization and uh re-reading this section again of the land wolf article it should also be noted that radical reformer quote unquote boris yeltsin has dallied with palmyat p-a-m-y-a-t the foremost russian fascist group to emerge in the last several years palmyot's virulent anti-semitism compares to the crude propaganda of the early german nazi party in the 1920s a good description of palmyot's activities is contained in an article which is the cover story of newsweek magazine from may 7th of 1990 this article is called the long shadow and it's subheaded the collapse of communism has allowed old hatreds to resurface throughout eastern europe and the soviet union five decades after the holocaust began anti-semitism is returning on the fringes of political life the challenge is to keep it on the fringes it's worth noting again that uh yeltsin has apparently dallied as they put it with this group and one wonders too about the extent

of american intelligence involvement in the soviet union as well as in eastern europe we've seen some of the explicitly fascist and hitler allied elements that are involved with the free congress foundation paul weirich etc

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weirich etc and it's worth noting now some of the things that are re-emerging in the soviet union talking about palmyot and anti-semitism in the soviet union this article once again the long shadow from newsweek of may 7 1990 this article reads in part as follows in a dingy moscow apartment alexander schwesnikov s-v-e-s-h-a-s-v-e-s-h-n-i-k-o-v a member of palm yachts national orthodox movement sits in the gloom considering the dignity of russia a yellow and black banner emblazoned with the emblem of saint george covers his television set may 5th the date for the pogrom that has worried jews for months happens to be the feast day of saint george a hero to russian christians this alludes to an earlier rumor that there would be a huge pogrom in the soviet union palmyat people believe that the jews killed christ and tsar nicholas ii they say jews organized the bolshevik revolution and masterminded stalin's terror they see glasnost and perestroika as a conspiracy to allow jewish capitalists to retain to regain control of the country quote the liberation of mankind will start in russia unquote predicts alexander kulakov k-u-l-a-k-o-v one of sveshnikov's followers again quoting it was prophesied that russia would be the one to eliminate world evil unquote palmyat has developed a sharp sense of paranoia and a fierce longing for revenge last winter igor shafarevich s-h-a-f-a-r-e-v-i-c-h one of its theorists published an article called russophobia in the journal nosh sobramenic our contemporary that's n-a-s-h-s-o-v-r-e-m-e-n-i-k-m-e-n-n-i-k excuse me once again n-a-s-h s-o-v-r-e-m-e-n-n-i-k called translated our contemporary once again last winter igor sheffarovich one of its theorists published an article called russophobia in the journal not sovereignic he complained that novelists depict

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he complained that novelists depict russians as ignorant fools who deserve and get all they have coming to them the leningrad branch of the writers union split when two dozen anti-semitic writers demanded editorial control over a new magazine the central union in moscow divided over the issue which lent the issue of which leningrad faction to support in january palm yacht operatives burst into moscow's central house of writers yelling kill the yids quote unquote the dispute gives an ugly turn to the long-standing battle between slava files and westernizers over the country's identity and destiny quote in russia this is an old and noble question unquote says andrei boscis vozninsky the poet vojniskensky the poet excuse me but it has been twisted to revolve around only one issue are you pro or anti-jew well the last couple of by the way then that last name is v-o-z-n-e-s-e-n-s-k-y once again in russia this is an old and noble question says andre vajnaysensky the poet but it has been twisted to revolve around only one issue are you pro or anti-jew matters of ego and ideology have split ponyot into seven splinters igor saichov sychov who works in an office crammed with portraits of the czars and maps of old moscow cells says mildly that he is only trying to re-instill russians with a love for their traditional culture americans are good patriots who stand up when they see their flag on quote he says but here people don't do that unquote farther rightward dmitry vasilyev's group wears black shirts pants and black jack boots his name by the way is v-a-s-i-l vasilyev gives interviews to germans but nobody else in the western press even farther on the smirnov the smirnoff hostage villi practices a more comprehensive style of anti-semitism that name

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anti-semitism that name s-m-i-r-n-o-v-o-s-t-a-s-h-v-i-l-i that last sentence again even farther on the schmiernov faction practices a more comprehensive style of anti-semitism smirnoff's assistant ali marabot capital m-a-r-a-b-a-t and alias welcomes visitors to his apartment dangling his one-year-old grandchild and saying quote isn't he lovely he's a little anti-semite unquote smirnoff believes that the united states has fallen under the control of jewish capitalists along with the media of the entire world he opposes jewish immigration arguing that jews should be kept

and tried for their crimes quote unquote continuing with the article [Applause] like all ultra rightists in the soviet union and eastern europe he blames jews for the rise of communism and for its fall smirnoff's argument runs like this first jewish marxists brought about the russian revolution then jewish bolsheviks such as leon trotsky yakov sverdloff lev kamanev led stalin into purging the peasantry during collectivization and imposing his terror upon the entire country skipping down pogba's true believers campaigned hard against liberal candidates in last winter's elections they distributed hand bills featuring mother russia caught in a star of david held aloft by a hairy man with a giant nose they did poorly deputies sympathetic to their influence won only 10 seats in moscow's 468 city council but they are paying for they are playing for influence beyond their numbers pursuing allies among disgruntled soldiers and workers they have cultivated the soviet army and the united workers front a right-wing labor group skipping down once again to say that these signals have alarmed soviet jews would be an understatement quote they are panicked unquote says one leader of the american jewish community the

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the american jewish community the pressure has been building for two years every jew could feel the difference says yuri levy l e v y who left for israel six months ago neighbors in my building people i considered my friends started referring to me in sentences that began you jews quote unquote nobody threatened me physically nobody fired me from my job but all of a sudden i became the jew quote unquote levy left before conditions could get much worse jews in baku kiev odessa leningrad and dushanby are also frightened that's d-u-s-h-a-n-b-e there have been unsubstantiated rumors that some palm yacht factions require new members to submit the names and addresses of four jews if gorbachev falls the soviet union's frenzied ethnic minorities could plunge the country into a bloodbath at such times jews become targets of opportunity if the stories are true pomyak would know just where to find them so far gorbachev seems to be playing a double game with palmyat given the full extent of his economic and political problems he would win moral points but no political advantage by helping the jews he has cultivated the far right while trying to reassure the west among other things he is named to his 15-member presidential council the writer valentin rasputin and the labor organizer vinyamini yarin two men who have openly dallied with anti-semitism those men's last names by the way rasputin is r-a-s-p-u-t-i-n and yarin is y-a-r-i-n skipping down once again i know that that basically concludes this section of the article we will talk about other goings-on in eastern europe later on well again the anti-semitism has long been present in first russia and then the soviet union uh however this resurgence of anti-semitism and this explicitly uh fascist and nazi style agenda is something that bears watching as the soviet union disintegrates the old process of scapegoating seems to be something that we should keep an eye

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be something that we should keep an eye out for and one of the questions that i have obviously i don't have an answer but to what extent are the resurgence of anti-semitism in the activities of organizations like palmyot and we should bear in mind that dolo gorbachev has played a double game with them yeltsin apparently has also hooked up with them and we've seen yeltsin hooked up with the free congress foundation paul wyrick and some of the explicit fascist elements that uh he has incorporated into his organization notably people like laszlo pastor people connected to the ou n etc uh one wonders to what extent uh the activities of individuals of the laszlo past or stripe is responsible for the kinds of things we're seeing vis-a-vis palm yacht as i like to say food for thought and grounds for further research the last article that we're going to look at last element in tonight's installment of the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe uh concerns one of the most bizarre uh elements currently operating inside the soviet union uh one of the things i mentioned last week is that having looked at the ussr in eastern europe through the eyes of the galen organization the nazi eastern front spy outfit that was brought in at the end of world war ii in which uh then became the department of cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs also later became the de facto nato intelligence organization and then the former west german intelligence service the buddhist not wreaked indians that is now the german intelligence service because there's no more east and west germany anymore it is united one of

the one of the things that's difficult to figure out is exactly what the soviet union is or what the russians are it's easier to say for an american what they aren't they're not the world gobbling monster we've been told uh they seem to a certain extent at least to be naive if you ask me maybe even stupid either that or they're badly compromised it's difficult to say past a point but an article which bears witness to that appeared in the los angeles times of monday march 4th of 1991. now this article by the way also appears in the sunday punch section of today's

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in the sunday punch section of today's sunday examiner and chronicle uh somewhat edited down version of it this article is by elizabeth shogrener shogun of the la times s.a joe gren at state law in moscow and it's headlined moonies in the ussr subheaded the reverend moon and his church are reaching out to disenchanting young people some are seeking new meaning in their lives others just want a chance to escape and it reads in part as follows moon is making a big advance into the soviet union where the moral and ethical structure of society is collapsing after being propped up for four generations by communist ideology soviet young people are tired of endless talk about reforms that do not improve their lifestyles or give them any security for the future disaffected with their own country and searching wildly for meaning for their lives searching widely for meaning for their lives they are susceptible to the message of moon's missionaries the last sentence again disaffected with their own country and searching widely for meaning for their lives they are susceptible to the message of moon's missionaries like many of the new soviet converts commodore koma rov who's a soviet uh moon affiliate had been studying philosophy and religion on his own before he was introduced to the principle quote unquote which suggests that moon a charismatic religious leader ardent anti-communist and business magnate is the second messiah skipping down [Applause] since last summer fourteen hundred students from the most elite universities and institutes in moscow leningrad kiev and tashkent have traveled to the united states as moon's guests a total of sixteen hundred more will go before the end of the year about 800 are pursuing studies in moon's theology and hundreds more have participated in advanced seminars according to myra stannecki s-t-a-n-e-c-k-i a san francisco bay area native who worked as a missionary in moscow for carp c-a-r-p moon's college ministry the soviet union has rapidly become the new frontier for carp the collegiate association of the research of the

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association of the research of the principle which claims members in 70 countries the soviet union is now our main focus that's for sure unquote staneke said moon's followers have offices in leningrad and moscow and plan to open offices in kiev the capital of the ukraine and tashkent the capital of uzbekistan during a meeting last april with soviet president mikhail s gorbachev moon declared his commitment to finance exchange programs for soviet and foreign students and to invest in new industrial ventures to help the collapsing soviet economy moon's movement has been given almost free reign despite his long battle against communism skipping down on the article soviet universities have welcomed the missionaries and given them classrooms to teach about the movement which has been criticized in many countries as a cult that allegedly brainwashes young p brainwashes young people until now only english speakers have been able to join the classes because none of the dozen or so missionaries who have been teaching in the soviet union speak russian but fledgling converts like kamarov want to change that again skipping down the russian ministry of higher education leningrad city council and navasti novo sti the president's official information agency are among the powerful organizations that have co-sponsored the trips abroad for students to study moon's theology quote soviet organizations do it because they want to send young people abroad not because they want to help moon unquote said igor rabishev d-r-o-b-y-s-h-e-v a navasti official who accompanied the students on one trip to america again quoting navoski thinks there's nothing about it that would be harmful to soviet students if someone offers a trip to a soviet student he will go so what if it has a religious basis going abroad is the sweetest candy for a soviet person well again one wonders just what the soviets are are they stupid are they naive or are certain soviet leaders and institutions in fact compromised by uh

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institutions in fact compromised by uh western political and intelligence elements of not a question i can answer definitively although uh it is a fact that the u.s through the galen organization and on its own has been able to operate inside the soviet union for some time one really wonders to what extent they may have co-opted certain elements of the soviet leadership elements of the american far right notably those around lyndon larouche have long charged that the soviets have co-opted elements of american political leadership those uh groups those institutions like the larouche organization engage in what is known as mirror imaging they create reels they portray real scenarios but turn around the political polarity 180 degrees so that what american and uh well and western nations are doing are portrayed as soviet conspiracies i wonder if perhaps uh there are large elements of the soviet political leadership aside from the ones that we know about such as boris yeltsin with his free congress foundation connections that are in fact co-opted for and working for u.s intelligence uh with gorbachev attempting to associate with people like palmyot with the soviets allowing organizations like the unification church to operate inside the soviet union you really got to wonder what goes through their minds in my opinion we shouldn't allow the unification church to operate in this country and last most assuredly not least we should bear in mind that as we looked at first in radio free america number seven and then again when we recoup that material recap that material as part of radio free america 14 dealing with the the world anti-communist league uh the unification church is very much involved with the world anti-communist league the recent book inside the league by john lee and scott anderson talks about that and it should be noted again that not only is moon quote anti-communist unquote but that uh many of the elements of the unification church have their origins in the korean period of history when korea was a colony of imperial and fascist japan and many of the officials in moon's organization began their

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in moon's organization began their careers in government service as functionaries either with the uh colonial government of fascist and imperial japan or with the military of fascist and imperial japan and again for the ready the radio free america shows seven dealing with cults and number 14 dealing with the unification church is an element of the world anti-communist league go into this organization in considerable depth in uh the next week or two we will be moving from the ussr and the destabilization of same and again you have to wonder uh not only what goes to the soviets minds but beyond that uh the effects of allowing people like reverend moon also although i'm not going to go into it here uh certain christian evangelists uh people like jimmy swaggart and their ilk have also been allowed to broadcast into the soviet union it seems to me this can only be destabilizing the soviet union uh god knows it's been destabilizing enough to the united states and again uh going back to the overall scenario that i'm looking at uh we are looking at internal manipulation of soviet politics here both with the the moon the munification church the unification church of reverend moon and with the free congress foundation and it's a lot elements and one wonders how long the soviet national security establishment is going to sit by and let explicitly fascist and uh anti-soviet elements operate with impunity i suspect again the scenario that we discussed with lanny sinking either provoking a stalinist regime and a return to the cold war or the dismemberment of the soviet union which has been the goal by the way of the anti-bolshevik block of nations is what they're aiming at here the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations not only intended to roll back communism quote unquote by driving it out of eastern europe which has now happened but they intended to actually break up the soviet union itself we went into that both in radio radio free america shows 14 and 15 and uh again i think that

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and uh again i think that the destabilization of the ussr is likely to uh be very destructive because it is either going to provoke a new cold war which will be very destructive to this country as well as to the ussr but it could also ultimately lead to a third world war one wonders uh just how long uh again i can't see the soviet union just simply

going belly up maybe it'll happen but i wouldn't bet on it it's within the realm of possibility that something could go wrong as fun clausewitz the prussian meal military theoretician uh said uh in war one has to expect friction and that is to say things go wrong things go other than the way they have been intended uh we can't say for sure but uh if we continue to dally with soviet internal politics this way and continue to inject fascist elements there it is likely it is within the realm of possibility that it will produce a response that we have not foreseen it is within the realm of possibility that we could see a third world war at some point as unappetizing as that prospect is uh i wouldn't rule that out if something goes wrong with this destabilization policy at some point in the future well welcome back once again i'm now going to give a rundown of what it is that we're going to be listening to in tonight's fourth installment of radio free america 36 i have done this in a series of installments uh the fifth and final installment will be next week this program as i said this is going to be included as the 36th radio free america show it is entitled the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war three and what we're going to begin with is uh reviewing a couple of sections of a very important uh article that i read into the archives last week this is called the free congress foundation goes east and i will be re-reading a couple of sections of that particular article uh those dealing with both the ou and upa and connections between that fascist organization and the people associated with the free congress foundation and i

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with the free congress foundation and i will also read about the uh anti-bolshevik block of nations which will be a major focus of tonight's program specifically a fellow named laszlo pastor a key functionary with the free congress foundation a misnomer if ever there was one uh is also heavily involved with the anti-bolshevik block of nations and that in turn is heavily involved with the ou the anti-bolshevik block of nations is a key element of what was known as the world anti-communist league i still call it by that name i guess i should probably learn its new name but the new name is something altogether preposterous something like the world league for freedom and democracy are there any two things that uh the world anti-former world anti-communist league is not supportive of it is freedom and democracy it isn't a fascist organization by any uh any account and uh that is probably the reason why i have not bothered to learn its uh inappropriate new name in any event the former wacko involving institutions like the abn and the ou and upa is an organization which we have looked at in the past it uh covers a wide uh historical turf a very long chain of events stretching from the third reich in the second world war through the assassination of president kennedy uh the depredations of our own intelligence system and the military and right on up through the current activities going on in the soviet union we're going to begin as i said by re-reading a couple of sections from the article that i read into the archives almost in its entirety last week and that i will be rereading uh the saga that i will be reading sections of next week the section is dealing with eastern europe that will comprise the first two sections of tonight's archive show following that i'm going to deal well i guess we'll look at one section of that to begin with then we're going to delve back into the archives and we're going to hear a section of radio free america program number one dealing with the guerrilla warfare that went on in eastern europe and the soviet union for

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eastern europe and the soviet union for a good seven years or so after the formal conclusion of world war ii this guerrilla warfare in effect represented a continuation of the combat of world war ii with former axis forces or forces put together under axis sponsorship uh jumping to the central intelligence agency courtesy of the galen spy organization something we've spoken about a great deal in the past and we'll be speaking about once again uh not only tonight but in weeks and months to come we will be uh reviewing specifically how uh the third reich set up guerrilla groups to harass the red army in its rear including uh utilizing uh various nationalities inside and adjacent to the soviet union who did not wish to either be part of the soviet union or who simply were fascist by persuasion uh we will be taking a look at specifically among others the ou and upa the organization whose guiding light was a fellow named stefan bondera a person we will be also looking at in weeks to come and this section as well as a

section of radio for free america 14 that we will be looking at is by way of reviewing the long-standing history of the policy of the so-called western democracies of attempting to break the soviet union up into its constituent republics this is something which has been the stated aim of a number of uh american reactionaries and uh that is something which i personally do not think that the soviet national security establishment is likely to tolerate uh they have that is to say the kgb and the soviet military have stated in no uncertain terms that they will not tolerate the breakup of the soviet union something that many of the dissident nationalities uh contemplate in no uncertain terms so uh there is basically uh a in an impending collision between the fabled uh irresistible force in the immovable object and that collision i'm afraid may result in a miscalculation which in turn at some point could conceivably lead to a third world war something theoretically or hopefully nobody plans but who knows just how far

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but who knows just how far some of the mines in washington and bonn and elsewhere well who knows what's going on inside of those mines who knows just exactly how far some of those people are prepared to go after listening to a section of radio free america program number one we will jump back once again to uh the free congress foundation goes east and we will review not only uh one of the key organizations involved with the ouin the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations but uh connections between a key functionary of the abn namely the aforementioned laszlo pastor and people involved with the and the free congress foundation uh it should be borne in mind that the free congress foundation is one of the major vehicles for the american far right to dabble in and affect the politics of the soviet union and the single most important connection is the very profound connection between the free congress foundation and not only boris yeltsin gorbachev's main opponent at this time but also the igr an organization put together not only by yeltsin but also by the late andrei andrei sakharov in 1989. following that we're going to listen to a section of radio free america 14 dealing with the world anti-communist league and we will begin by hearing about the prometheus organization and that basically was described by some researchers who turned me on to that as a pre whack wack and we will take a look once again at the history of attempts by fascist elements and then those same fascist elements operating under american and british auspices to foment dissidents among the various nationalities of the soviet union in an attempt to break the soviet union up into its constituent republics this is something that has been contemplated for quite some time and it represents a major focus of uh ongoing uh western intelligence activity and political activity inside the soviet union today that is what we will be looking at in tonight's uh fourth installment of radio free america 36 short musical break and then the bulk of

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short musical break and then the bulk of tonight's archive show [Applause] we're now going to begin the fourth installment of what is going to be included in the archives as radio free america program number 36 the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war three what we're going to be doing in this fourth installment is not only dipping back into the archives to review some information about attempts to not only destabilize the soviet union but specifically to encourage the breakup of the soviet union into its constituent republics we are going to be taking a look at connections between two organizations the o u n u p a a ukrainian fascist and nationalist organization and its connections with the inappropriately named free congress foundation and we are also going to be taking a look at connections between the same free congress foundation and an organization of which the ou and upa is a key part namely the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations itself a key element of the world anti-communist league or the former world anti-communist league a major organ of not only domestic policy but international policy uh under the reagan and now bush administrations something on which we have been relying heavily i didn't in the in radio free america number 36 is the current issue or most recent issue of covert action information bulletin specifically covert action information bulletins issue number 35 this is their fall of 1990 issue and i will tell you i will read once again the address where people can obtain this very very important issue arguably the most important they have ever done you can obtain this very important issue which once again we will be

exerting this evening and which we will exert again next week covert action information bulletin can be obtained by writing a two covert action information bulletin po box 34583

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po box 34583 that's in washington dc 2004 free once again covert action information bulletin po box 34583 that's in washington dc two zero zero four three and in this current issue of covert action information bulletin uh there is among other excellent articles an article that we read most of last week and we're going to review a section of this week we will read more of it next week parts that you have not heard yet this particular article is called the free congress foundation goes east that is co-authored by russ bellant b-e-l-l-a-n-t and lewis wolf lewis wolff is one of the editors of covert action information bulletin now the main elements here are the free congress foundation founded by paul wyrick last name w-e-y-r-i-c-h he is one of the prime movers of the american far right an individual who founded in addition to the free congress foundation the heritage foundation a major right-wing think tank and uh fount of inspiration and policy for the reagan and bush administrations paul wyrick uh a kingpin of the american far right has been very involved through the free congress foundation with political activities inside the soviet union and eastern europe the free congress foundation's most important connection as we looked at last week is with not only boris yeltsin the chief political opponent of gorbachev and the president of the russian of the russian republic uh but also with the yeltsin and andrei sakharov inspired irg an organ of the communist party there which basically i guess could be considered communist in name only it appears to have become at least to a certain extent a vehicle for the free market principles espoused by among others paul weirich now we are going to be looking at this evening two of the most important connections of the free congress foundation connections between that

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foundation connections between that organization connecting links between that organization and the oun a ukrainian nationalist and fascist organization whose history as i said earlier winds through not only the second world war but also the assassination of president kennedy and other events and we will be taking a look also at the uh anti-bolshevik bloc of nations or abn another organization with a similar history of which the o u n upa is a key part we will be returning to some of these same elements next week as well now the section that i'm going to reread of the free congress foundation goes east or the first section i should say that i'm going to reread is the section dealing with connections between a fellow named charles moser m-o-s-e-r who is the treasurer of the free congress foundation board and the o-u-n and it should be remembered that the national endowment for democracy through organizations like the free congress foundation as well as uh lithuanian catholic religious aid and the closely allied uh lithuanian information center has been very active in promoting uh nationalist and fascist sentiment in some of the dissident soviet republics and uh we're going to review some of that and reread a section of this article right now skipping down into this article such nationalist and fascist elements are already evident in lithuania and the ukraine in the latter republic the pro-nazi organization of ukrainian nationalists or oun has gained influence in several parties and has mobilized large demonstrations that honor o u n leaders who have bedded hitler's war on the eastern front similarly several sajudis deputies sajudis interrupting that of course is the lithuanian nationalist party itself with very obvious fascist antecedents beginning again similarly several sajudis deputies served in german-supported military units in 1944 and sejudis has made declarations against ethnic russians living in lithuania according to some reports polls have also been denigrated

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also been denigrated it should also be noted that radical reformer quote unquote boris yeltsin has dallied with palm yacht p-a-m-y-a-t the foremost russian fascist group to emerge in the last several years palmyot's virulent anti-semitism compares to the crude propaganda of the early german nazi party in the 1920s the fcf is not entirely

disconnected from the history of the OUN the treasurer of the FCF board is George Washington University professor Charles Moser. Moser also serves on the editorial advisory board of the Ukrainian Quarterly published by the Ukrainian Congress Committee of America, a group dominated by the OUN. The Ukrainian Quarterly has praised military units of the German SS and otherwise justified the OUN alliance with the Third Reich, which reflects the fact that the OUN was politically and militarily allied with Hitler and the Nazi occupation of Ukraine. So the main connection between Charles Moser and the OUN once again is the OUN's position on the editorial advisory board of the Ukrainian Quarterly published by the Ukrainian Congress Committee of America, in turn dominated by the OUN. More about some of these connections: the OUN, an international semi-secret cadre organization headquartered in Bavaria, has received financial assistance from the late Franz Joseph Strauss, the rightist head of the Bavarian state. Strauss also had a working relationship with Wyrick. Wyrick fed speeches by Strauss attacking Germany's Dayton with the USSR to US senators who would then insert them into the congressional record when Strauss came to Washington. Wyrick was the person who helped set up his itinerary, so bearing in mind the activities of the Free Congress Foundation, a major force within the politics of the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe today allied with Irig and Yeltsin as well as other elements in Eastern

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as well as other elements in Eastern Europe, an organization with very strong ties to the OUN and in turn to the anti-Bolshevik block of nations, a major component of which is the ABN. We will be coming to those connections later on in the program. What we're going to be looking at in the broadcast right now is, uh, a section from Radio Free America program number one we're going to be talking now about how dissident Soviet nationalities and others in Eastern Europe were utilized by first the Third Reich and then under the auspices of the spy organization, the CIA, to not only ferment guerrilla warfare inside the Soviet Union but, uh, to ultimately perhaps affect the independence of some of these organizations. Obviously, they are not independent yet, but what we are looking at now in the Soviet Union is a continuation of a long-standing trend which goes back to and before the Second World War. Those of you who are taping, uh, hopefully you are taping, we are now going to review a section of Radio Free America program number one called Looking Back from 1984, the hidden history of the Cold War, part one, and uh, this particular broadcast was originally aired in April of 1984. Specifically, in fact, I think it was April 13th of 1984, and you will also, in addition to my own voice, hear the voice of my former co-partner Nip Tuck, who assisted me with the on-air duties. Now, just as we saw the British Army actually take up arms against their nominal allies, the Greek partisans, by the same token, uh, there was already there was a division of loyalties with regard to the allies and the axes in Eastern Europe, which show basically resulted in World War II not actually coming to an end until almost 1952. One of the elements of history, very important elements of history, which has not been recorded is the fact that the shooting war in Eastern Europe, and I'm talking about World War II, did not end in 1945 with V-E Day.

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did not end in 1945 with V-E Day, basically, as the Nazis retreated on the Eastern front in World War II, they set up guerrilla groups in the rear of the Red Army to harass the Red Army, and these combined with the various domestic fascist and nationalist groups, and also with the German troops cut off to wage a fierce guerrilla warfare in the rear of the Red Army, and this lasted until 1952 or 1950, by some accounts. We're going to be reading you now a passage from a book called Galen Spy of the Century. Galen is G-E-H-L-E-N. It's authored by a man named E. H. Cookridge, last name C-O-O-K-R-I-D-G-E, a former British intelligence agent, and Gayle inspired the Century was copyrighted in 1971 and it was published in hardcover by Random House in that same year. Now, Galen Reinhard Galen was Adolf Hitler's chief of intelligence for the Eastern front in World War II. We're going to talk about him more in just a second. Reading now from E. H. Cookridge, just Galen Spy of the Century, 1971, Random House edition. Inside the Soviet Union in Poland, large scattered groups of the Whites, unquote, meaning anti-Reds, had remained and were putting up a desperate fight in Southwest Ukraine and Eastern Poland, bands of the nationalist UPA, many still with their German SS officers.

harassed the red army the polish militia of the communist dominated warsaw government and the local authorities set up in the liberated territories at various times between november 1945 and the spring of 1947 these counter-revolutionary bandits unquote were in effective control of many villages in rural districts trained in guerrilla warfare by the germans they ambushed soviet road convoys used hit-and-run tactics and carried out innumerable sabotage actions indeed some of the ukrainian insurgents held out in the forests of the carpathian mountains until 1952

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the soviet authorities also encountered trouble in the former baltic states after four years of nazi occupation many german soldiers particularly of the kurland army c-u-r-l-a-n-d which had been cut off during the winter of 1944 had remained there together with latvian and estonian patriots they now turned upon the red liberators unquote the russians used ruthless methods to suppress the rebels resorting to wholesale deportations of the indigenous populations in moscow's eyes the insurgents were traitors who had been armed by the nazis to fight against their own country today this attitude might appear cruel especially when taken with the atrocities the soviet police are known to have committed against often innocent people yet it must be remembered that the french resistance members treated nazi collaborators hardly more gently and that even the british executed traitors after the war for perhaps lesser crimes such as broadcasting anti-british propaganda from berlin [Applause] although the soviet government announced that by the spring of 1947 quote all counter-revolutionary fascist bands under german command had been annihilated unquote in fact this was not so for years the communists kept silent about the extent of the fighting which in many areas amounted to a minor civil war okay remember that sentence in many areas it amounted to a minor civil war it was not until 1959 that a polish military writer published some staggering details about the widespread sabotage carried out by anti-communist bands and the heavy casualties suffered on both sides and in a footnote to that passage quotes that polish military writer a man named general ignaci bloom blum i'm not going to attempt to pronounce the polish name of the history that he wrote that in but uh anyway this this following footnote to that passage by cookridge report by general ignacio bloom warsaw in 1959 he mentioned a figure of 12 556 killed and estimated the number

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12 556 killed and estimated the number of sabotage acts carried out in poland by the anti-communist bands and werewolves remember that name werewolves at twenty nine thousand nine hundred and seventy so we don't know what this raw figure is here uh twelve thousand five hundred fifty six killed whether those represent uh red army casualties in this guerrilla warfare or just what it is that they represent but to note that here he's talking about 12 13 000 people being killed and keeping keep in mind that as cook rich said this guerrilla warfare in eastern europe which again these guerrilla groups many of them were set up by the nazis and coordinated by the okw german military high command and that basically this guerrilla warfare raged in eastern europe until 1952. now keep in mind the name werewolves because that's something niptox going to tell you about in a second okay now bear in mind also that similarly to the the greek situation similar to the greek situation we just described to you where before hostilities between the axis and the allied powers had formally ended in the e day the british were already in essence having a shooting war with the partisans the anti-fascist partisans in greece then in effect the british had already began firing on the very people who had allowed them to quote unquote liberate greece um at the same time roughly uh we already see the united states beginning to make contacts with the very self-same nazis that they are fighting on the western front uh as they drive toward berlin to make contact with them for the same purpose notably to overthrow any incipient uh anti-fascist specifically leftist or soviet supporting governments that might come into power in eastern europe so the plan on the part of the the americans with the help the help of the obviously

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with the help the help of the obviously unrepentant nazis is to prevent the kind of thing happening um in in eastern europe that the british successfully uh managed to overcome in greece namely the partisan forces coming to power as most of the populist doubtlessly wanted them to do remember article 12 from the treaty of versai to ending world war one which which established a pattern of allied german cooperation against soviet russia or against communism even as germany was being defeated now this section this stuff that we're talking about here in some ways is one of the most critical things toward an understanding or at least an expanded understanding of the cold war now as we have mentioned and we mentioned the beginning of the show and we should mention again by no means is this the entire story however what part of the story this is is the part that you are least likely to hear not just if you're having lunch down at the reagan ranch but virtually anywhere within the the political science departments of our universities or anywhere not because it didn't happen but because it's inconvenient and has been inconvenient for a long time one of the main things that people say and um and we're not going to try and convince you necessarily if anything will let you make your own judgments but one of the main things that people say these days is well if the russians were such nifty people if they weren't a bunch of creeps and murderers and killers why did they take over eastern europe well bear in mind the position of the russian armies where they are have lost uh probably 20 million people plus during world war ii as a direct result of having been invaded by the nazis they're doing their best as they drive on berlin to try and dismantle the fascist organizations all along their borders some of which had been operating against the russian the soviet union since the end of world war one some of these self-same organizations in one shape or another in the same areas oh yes go ahead and keep in mind again uh the point can't be made too strongly too often that the shooting war in eastern europe did not end when we were

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eastern europe did not end when we were told it ended that instead of main force units operating along fixed battle lines we had a uh d uh acceleration of combat into small guerrilla guerrilla units but as kirkwood noted that in many areas this amounted to a minor civil war and the gorillas ranged far and wide and had effective control of many areas so while on one hand the uh the the americans and the british and the french rolled in and found themselves able to uh to occupy germany and start to send the boys home again put them on ships and send them back to the united states except for small occupation forces the russians on the other hand against uh who themselves felt that in many ways world war ii had been directed that the so that the nazis had been directly built up as a hitman against the soviet union for which there is some historical evidence the russians on the other hand uh found their entire army strung out through eastern europe uh literally thousands of miles away from moscow with civil wars fascist-led fascist-supported nazi-led nazi supported and later on american-led and american-supported civil war going on all around them anyway back to uh a book called the general was a spy also about reinhard galen this book is by heinz hernandez and uh this was uh copyright by hermann this is by herman hines hernan excuse me and herman zoling z-o-l-l-i-n-g and herna spelled h-o-h-n-e copyright 1971 by coward mccann and i'm not even going to try that one geoghen incorporated new york a hardcover anyway they're talking about a galen and the rsha which is the reist psychoist helped opt which is the rice the reich secret uh security bureau and it says galen ultimately became so close an ally of the rsha that during the death throes of adolf hitler's regime he together with the ss with ss officer scorzeny and pritzman was charged with

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scorzeny and pritzman was charged with military direction of that macabre partisan and resistance organization known as werewolf intended to spread panic among the enemy and an order dated november 12th 1944 dealing with quote battle in the rear of the enemy this is the red army the army general staff operations section laid down that foreign armies east from the herast will be responsible for cooperation with the rsha on all matters concerning forward intelligence units on february 6 1945 the strategic group of the general staff urged army groups to support werewolf energetically saying quote all units in whose vicinity werewolf groups are located will take measures for

the supply and welfare of the werewolf group's concerned anyone so determined to continue to the bitter end could be sure of the approbation of his superiors galen climbed several rungs of the ladder he was promoted to major general he became deputy chief of the strategic group of the general staff he was even entrusted with a general staff security in the event of catastrophe he was to arrange for the staff's immediate evacuation now this is interesting in light of some stuff dave is going to tell you about reinhardt galen detailing where exactly the remains of the german general staff and the nazi high command uh were in fact immediately evacuated to at the end of world war ii and most of them were into the safe and loving arms of the western intelligence forces okay now take note of the fact uh in that passage that uh this fellow reinhardt galen was very close to the rsha they write secret rights help that basically the rsha was the ss security department it incorporated something called the sd the ss intelligence service and the gestapo okay so the rsha was basically perhaps the single most infamous institution of the third reich the final

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institution of the third reich the final solution was uh called the the extermination of european jewry was accomplished under rsha auspices uh the rsha main facility at vance was where the final solution was drawn up and so note the close cooperation between galen and the rsha that means galen was very very close operationally and of necessity ideologically with the ss and take note of the fact that the werewolf guerrilla groups which galen set up with an ss man named otto scorseni were like all the other guerrilla groups in eastern europe under the nominal command of okw over commando de vermont the german military high command now reinhardt galen who was basically your reference to an organization called fho fho is from the hera aust or foreign armies east that was adolf hitler's eastern front intelligence organization it handled all of hitler's eastern front intelligence galen was in charge of fremda hera aust he was hitler's chief intelligence officer against the soviet union now three months after ve day in europe three months after the war officially ended and as we've seen it did not end at that time it officially ended reinhardt galen was flown into the united states in the uniform of a four-star general and basically galen and his entire eastern front intelligence organization which was still in place at the end of world war ii were then grafted onto the fledgling cia and galen and his entire organization the former from dahara aust hitler's eastern front intelligence apparatus complete and intact and incorporating a great many of the white russians who had initially opposed the bolsheviks and then fled into germany leaving behind them in intelligence service these this this organization fho jumped to the fledgling cia became the cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs the exclusive purveyors of intelligence on the soviet union in eastern europe for more than a decade after world war ii it then became the official nato intelligence organization providing nato with up to 70 percent of

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providing nato with up to 70 percent of its intelligence on russia and eastern europe and then it became the bundeslak greek indians the bnd the west german intelligence service which it is for this day and two very important details to remember about galen number one is the fact that the galen organization paved the way for more than 4 000 ss and gestapo men to move up into the u.s intelligence system where many of them remain to this day the second fact to remember is the fact that reinhardt galen not only set up many of these guerrilla groups which waged war until the early 50s in the ukraine and poland and eastern europe but galen was in radio contact with many of these groups throughout the closing days of this of the third reich and clean on up into his tenure with the cia and not only that but galen and his cia sponsors were shipping weapons and liaison officers to these guerrilla groups while they were fighting against our wartime allies the soviet union so that basically the eastern front guerrillas simply jumped to the united states with galen in essence they continued to wage war throughout the closing days of the third reich and simply jumped uniforms basically we picked up hitler's tab in eastern europe all right this is a very important thing once again getting to trying to point out the forest to people who are knee-deep in shrubbery again a key point to realizing and one of the major one of the thesis points of this entire broadcast again not purporting to

tell the entire story of the cold war but perhaps one of the most important sections of the story of the cold war which is virtually unknown and unrecognized in the united states and that is not only was world war ii to a large extent brought about because of the western nations re-arming germany to continue their war against the soviet union for no other particular reason at that time than the soviet union being a bolshevist a marxist government or purportedly a marxist government not

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purportedly a marxist government not only did they rearm germany but then after germany had come contributed had participated in the worst atrocities in the history of warfare on this planet many of which were were perpetrated against the soviet union then before the war was even over the united states in particular was taking the the german high command and especially the german eastern front intelligence services and all the the fascist groups working for them grafting them right onto their own intelligence service and sending him the weapons to continue on with what they were doing and the support okay so in in essence uh one has to say regardless of what other faults stalin may have had you certainly cannot call the man paranoid for feeling that he was getting a raw deal at the hands of the allies and again to keep in mind the analogy with central america today where they hated someone sisters almost as soon as they had been uh effectively defeated by the san diego's were then re-armed re-equipped and uh sent back into the phrase so to speak by the united states that to hear the very cause keep in mind how despised the nazis in particular those soviets who collaborated with the nazis where they were the most despised people possible and by putting these people to work and putting these people right back to war in essence underwriting the continued guerrilla warfare that began on the third reich auspices and proceeded under cia auspices we were assuming we were obviously waving the red flag at that the bull so to speak keep in mind also that everything we've heard about we heard about the soviet union for more than ten years after the end of the war came from hitler's intelligence people indeed all right this next segment which will indeed expand this idea a little bit is from a book entitled the belarus secret b-l-a-r-u-s belarus by john loftus and this book was published by alfred a knopf or canop in new york in 1982 in hardback this is a book we discussed some um mr loftus is a a former uh justice department attorney

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a former uh justice department attorney worked for the office of special investigations there and he himself got involved with the the the search for the trail of several biolo-russian nazi collaborators who seem to be winding up in important positions in the u.s intelligence and uh and security forces after world war ii despite the fact that they had committed numerous war crimes anyway he talks in part about uh about the galen organization and its early connections with the then uh the oss and other groups of that type i think the cic i think it was at that time this is the counter intelligence court right i don't know about mention here but that this was pre-cia of course because um the galen organization joined the cia almost at its inception so the early contacts were were predated the existence of the cia much of uh the you also reference to something called the office of policy coordination which was a body of the now us national security apparatus through which the cia and galen organization received much of their funding and that that organization was i think under the direction of frank wisner mike wisner cia official who nip is going to tell you about in the second indeed so you'll hear wisner's name and that is him the office of policy at the end of the last war loftus writes many members of the oun which is a ukrainian fascist anti-soviet group came to western europe to avoid capture by the advancing soviets the oun reformed in western europe with its headquarters in munich it first came to the attention of american authorities when the russians demanded extradition of bandera and many other anti-soviet ukrainian nationalists as war criminals luckily the attempt to locate these anti-soviet ukrainians was sabotaged by a few far-sighted americans who warned the america who warned the person's concern to go into hiding now this is by the way i should mention this particular passage is from a letter by frank wisner this is not the author saying luckily a few far-sighted americans warned these

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far-sighted americans warned these ukrainian war criminals frank wisner is uh wisner's letter continues from 1945 to 1948 members of oun and of upa another similar group arrived from the soviet ukraine to western germany on foot the messages they and returning german prisoners of war brought conclusively confirmed that the oun and the upa were continuing the fight against the soviets with the weapons and ammunition which the retreating german armies had left behind over 35 000 members of the russian secret police the mvd and the mkgb this again according to wisner's letter have been killed by oun upa since the end of the last war in other words the main activities of the oun and the ukraine cannot be considered detrimental to the united states now keep in mind that casualty figure the polish military writer quoted by e h cooker decided to said just a a raw figure of twelve thousand five hundred fifty six kill didn't say one of those red army casualties or overall casualties or whatever but here in wisner's letter he cites the figure of 35 000 soviet security forces killed just in the ukraine just in the period 1945 to 1947 now while he certainly was lobbying for the employment of this group and might have exaggerated the figures accordingly keep in mind that we're talking about a continuation of world war ii we're not talking about a sniper or two here indeed wisner's letter john loft as the author writes must have caused a commotion at the ins that's the bureau of immigration and naturalization it was as close as he dared come to disclosing that he was using cia money and cia cover to provide quote left behind arms and ammunition to underground assassination teams inside eastern europe but that was not all the letter conclusively established that wisner lied to the ins it fraudulently claimed that the oun was

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it fraudulently claimed that the oun was not a nazi-sponsored organization and that its members had never collaborated with the germans at the end of several paragraphs of fictional history wisner stated quote in simple terms the germans wanted from the ukrainians only food and supplies for their armies and forced labor for their factories the germans used all means necessary to force the cooperation which the ukrainians were unwilling to give thus by summer 1941 a battle raged on ukrainian soil between two ruthless exploiters and persecutors of the ukrainian people the third reich and soviet russia the oun and the partisan army it created in late 1942 upa fought bitterly against both the germans and the soviet russians okay now before i go on to continue with loftus's analysis let me point out there's a little double whammy in there that you may not have picked up okay so wisner is writing to the bureau of immigration and naturalization that they should let these people in because not only have they killed 35 000 members of the russian secret police according to him but that in effect that anything bad that they did during world war ii they were forced to do by the germans and hence they were not bad people themselves but just forced to by the bad germans now the double whammy here is not only is he lying about that fact because we're going to find out loftus is going to point out what eager collaborators they were but in effect wisner and the rest of the people at ops and the rest of the people in oss and the other groups had already begun bringing the germans in so they had no objection to the germans and they're just using that as a as a way of holding up the uh the the ukrainians as being somehow not to blame they're going to blame it on the germans and they're just keeping it entirely secret their collaborations with galen and such other german uh germans have known as klaus barbie and others that we've talked about on the on this station before anyway loftus goes on to say of this claim this was a complete fabrication

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complete fabrication the cic had an agent who photographed eleven volumes of the secret internal files of ou n bandera that's the ukrainian group these files clearly show how most of its members worked for the gestapo or ss as policemen executioners partisan hunters and municipal officials the oun contribution to the german war effort was significant including the raising of volunteers for several ss divisions it was precisely because of its work with the nazis that wisner wanted to hire the oun for his special forces the ukrainian letter succeeded in fooling the

immigration officials however and ou n bandera was subsequently taken off the inimical list in other words they were made available for for permission to immigrate by the time the dp act expired in 1952 400 000 immigrants had come to the united states among them were important nazi collaborators from biola russia the ukraine the baltic states and the balkans including the nucleus of wisner's special forces we're going to get to that next show during the same four-year period wisner's opc enjoyed virtually unlimited freedom of action and had grown to the point that it was consuming more than half the cia's annual budget wisner's private army had launched an undeclared war against the soviet union does that sound familiar he had defied the congressional ban on smuggling nazis he had misappropriated government funds to buy arms for ex-nazi terrorists and he had obstructed justice by sheltering fugitive war criminals who had been denounced by the nuremberg tribunal the united nations and the congress of the united [Applause] here this st line of policy dating from practically the very moment that the uh that the the bolshevists in uh in russia took over the uh the

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in uh in russia took over the uh the imperial palace and and moved into the government we see an almost unbroken policy of fear and loathing on the part of the western nations the united states we see herbert hoover and charles evans hughes and others carrying on an undeclared war against the soviet union we see this undeclared war continuing on through the thirties and uh through the offices of various industrialists supporting the fascists uh to stomp out any moves towards sovietism in in europe we see it right through world war two where even during the course of the battle the partisans who are um the anti-fascist partisans are thrown out of power and power is handled promptly back to the fascists under the control of the allies and we see it at the end of world war ii where the entire german eastern european intelligence force is grafted onto the cia and the uh collaboration and the support of fascist guerrilla groups in eastern europe um and a continuous civil war against the soviet union before they've even reached berlin uh is carried on as official american policy through reinhardt galen right up through 1952. good and again uh just remember that these guerrillas were set up by the third reich then us then were jumped to the cia while maintaining a continuous state of warfare and received weapons and liaison officers from cia and this undeclared war that wisner was waging really represented a continuation of the combat of world war ii a point which just it's such an important point that uh i'd like to stress that again keep it in mind because you never hear any of this uh talk about the guerrilla warfare in eastern europe okay a couple of other interesting details about that guerrilla warfare i can read you a footnote from a book called farewell america farewell america is about the assassination of president kennedy it is listed under the name of james hepburn last name h-e-p-b-u-r-n there's no such person as james hepburn as it turned out james hepburn is the pen name for the french overseas

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pen name for the french overseas intelligence service s d e c e and uh this book farewell america was in fact put out by the french intelligence service and it was published by an organization called frontiers publishing incorporated and copyrighted 1968 frontiers publishing is from liechtenstein okay so uh this book is is actually about the assassination of president kennedy was brought into the united states by a french intelligence agent named alve lamar l-a-m-a double a l-a-m-a-double r and uh lamar made contact with the bay area assassination researcher and former fbi agent named william w turner who we've talked about on other programs on this station and basically he brought in this book called farewell america ostensibly written by james hepburn actually written by the french intelligence service now in a chapter of farewell america concerning the us intelligence apparatus there's some discussion of galen and specifically some discussion of the guerrilla warfare in eastern europe that uh basically went from the third reich and then was the sponsorship of which was assumed by galen and his cia sponsors and a little interesting story here about one of the casualties in this guerrilla warfare in eastern europe again from farewell america ostensibly authored by james hepburn actually authored by the french intelligence service s-t-e-c-e galen who had conceived the idea of the vlass of army russian anti-communist troops was given the responsibility for the

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vice minister of defense who under the name of walter had commanded the 14th international brigade in spain and who served as the model for one of the characters in hemingway's for whom the bell tolls okay so uh next time you see gary cooper and ingrid bergman and that famous major motion picture version for whom the bell tolls you see gary cooper uh shooting and spitting his defiance at the fascists at the end keep in mind that galen dispatched one of the members of their group in actual combat not on the movie screen uh during this guerrilla warfare we're talking about in eastern europe a couple of other things concerning that uh guerilla warfare now i've got the last two quotes i'm going to read you here concerning that guerrilla warfare come from a book called the borman brotherhood the barman brotherhood was authored by another former british intelligence agent named william stevenson last name v e s-t-e-v-e-n s o n now this william stevenson is not to be confused with another british intelligence agent named william stevenson who's s-t-e-p-h-e-n-s-o-n that william stevenson this call is known was known as intrepid he was in charge of all british intelligence uh in the new in the americas during world war ii this is a different william stevenson who also writes about world war ii intelligence he wrote about the third reich and also was a british intelligence agent different spelling now william stephenson's the bourbon brotherhood was published in hardcover by harcourt brace jovanovich in 1973 and in soft cover by bantam books in 1974. i'd like to read you an interesting detail here from the softcover bantam edition of uh william stevenson's the barman brotherhood now recall that uh one of the guerrilla groups that uh niptuck was reading you about that galen set up to harass the red army in its rear and which carried on this guerrilla warfare it also was alluded to in that quote in that passage quoted from a polish military writer one of the one of

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polish military writer one of the one of these guerrilla groups was called the werewolves now the werewolves were comprised primarily of hitler youth now the interesting thing is that the werewolves had an interesting battle cry which was broadcast by uh joseph goebbels propaganda ministry during the closing days of the third reich and it's a battlecry that will be pretty familiar to the bunch of you i think of the battle cry of the werewolf guerrillas who were set up by galen and carried on guerrilla warfare in eastern europe after world war ii officials who helped the enemy had to be publicly punished it was the symbolism as always that counted radio werewolf hammered the theme better dead than red a phrase that lived long after bolshevism was the real enemy the nazis had always resisted the bolsheviks therefore any german who helped the enemies of nazism was helping the bolsheviks and was a traitor a climate was being created that would favor the concealment of wanted men so again the cry of radio werewolf their battle cry better dead than red and that is where the phrase better dead than red comes from and of course that says one of the mainstays of uh sort of rabid anti cut that phrase is one of the watch words of rabid anti-communism today now uh interestingly enough the closing days of the third reich also saw the concoction the genesis of the phrase iron curtain now most people believe that winston churchill concocted the phrase iron curtain churchill publicized the phrase iron curtain but in point of fact he actually borrowed it from a man named count lutz schwerin from last name k-r-o-s-i-g-k now front crossing was hitler's last five of finance minister succeeding yalmar shocked and uh in a closing in a propaganda broadcast during the closing days of the third reich count charon fontrosic coined the phrase iron curtain winston churchill borrowed it from him

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churchill borrowed it from him reading once again from the borman brotherhood by william stevenson the threat of war between the western allies and russia had been promoted for years by the nazis their vision of ultimate conflict with quote barbaric bolshevism unquote produced the first reference to an iron curtain it was uttered by hitler's former finance minister count sharon von krosic on may 2nd 1945 when he was desperately trying to win allied recognition for the government of admiral doughnuts schwerin von krosick was an anxious figure who had never forgotten hesses saying before his departure that the two germanic nations britain and germany were fighting each other to the enormous satisfaction of the bolsheviks the count a former rhodes scholar who seems to have learned nothing about the english during his time at oxford calculated that hess had made some imp some impression on his british hosts the iron curtain moves closer he declared in a broadcast people caught in the mighty hands of the bolsheviks are being destroyed unquote the term was picked up from the german broadcast churchill used it when he cabled president harry truman on may 12th that's ten days after von krosick used it in the broadcast quote an iron curtain is drawn upon their front we do not know what is going on behind unquote a year later he dropped it into a speech in the united states it demonstrates the infectious nature of the fears deliberately released by hitler's followers in order to win western sympathy and so the phrases better dead than red and iron curtain have their geniture in the closing days of the third reich worth noting in passing that the phrase guns versus butter was coined by hermann gehring the reich's marshall when he said germany needs guns not butter all of which i guess is to say that this phrase is better dead than red iron curtain guns versus butter being kicked around quite a bit these days when you hear them remember where they come from because the uh i guess you could say the lexicon of 20th century

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lexicon of 20th century american anti-communism is the lexicon of the third reich that's right not only in words but in deeds also [Music] that was a section from radio free america program number one looking back from 1984 the hidden history of the cold war part one and the main elements there to understand is the use of the oun which is closely allowed with the upa it's used first by the third reich and then later by the cia under the office of policy coordination and frank wisner to ferment guerrilla warfare behind the soviet lines first during world war ii and then all the way up on through the early 1950s it's worth noting that that guerrilla warfare went on in the ukraine the baltic republics and parts of poland uh those are major areas of uh soviet uh ethnic dissidents today and as we looked at first in the article about uh lithuanian of fascism being projected by the national association the national endowment for democracy through lithuanian catholic religious aid and lithuanian information center and then as we looked at in connection with the free congress foundation elements of which are closely allowed with the oun uh similar activities are going on today although at least uh to date over violence has yet to take place uh the elements that were the same and my hypothesis has been is that one of the intentions uh the the goal basically is either to break the soviet union up into its constituent republics which would then be utilized by the multinational corporations for their own ends or else to provoke a return to the cold war by uh utilizing some of these same elements to produce a militant reaction by soviet hard-liners something which i think at least to a certain extent is predictable if elements like the o-u-n sajudis and others are allowed to run free and continue to receive the support they

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continue to receive the support they have from the united states sooner or later the kgb and the soviet military are going to respond to those elements which uh obviously represent salt in the wounds to a nation which suffered so heavily during the second world war it's worth noting too that the oun is very closely allowed with an organization called the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations or abn and that's an organization that we're going to take a look at in the next tape segment that we're going to be looking at coming from radio free america 14. before that though i want to review once again a section of the free congress foundation goes east the article from which we reviewed a section a short time ago and most of which we read into the archives in the third installment of radio free america 36 that i put

into the archives last week now the main element to talk about here is once once again the anti-bolshevik block of nations a key element of which is the OUN that we've already looked at first in connection with the Free Congress Foundation and then in connection with the Office of Policy Coordination and the Third Reich oh by the way a slight correction I uh failed to note that when I did the broadcast at the time uh the Reich Security Main Office does not mean uh Secret Bureau of Reich Security it means uh Seekerite means security not secret uh the RSHA literally means High Bureau of Reich Security not secret a secret in German is Geheim that's where the phrase Gestapo or the term Gestapo comes from Gestapo is a contraction of Geheim Staatspolizei or secret state police okay so Seekerite means security not uh secret uh minor correction there but uh the record should go corrected under the circumstances now returning once again to the Free Congress Foundation goes east or a section thereof once again co-authored by Russ Balance b-e-l-l-a-n-t and Lewis Wolf this once again from Covert Action Information Bulletin number 35. now the

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information bulletin number 35. now the key person here that we're going to be talking about is a man named Laszlo Paztor p-l-a-s-z-l-o capital p-a-s-z-t-o-r he's a Hungarian fascist who is very closely allied with the ABN one of the main organizations of the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations is the aforementioned OUN it should be noted that in the Third Reich in the Axis nations in addition to the Third Reich in Japan and Mussolini uh or Italy rather under Mussolini there were also Hungary and Bulgaria and Romania all of those countries fought for the access and against the USSR and the United States during the Second World War Laszlo Paztor was a member of the Arrow Cross the key Hungarian fascist organization which led Hungary into the Second World War on behalf of the Axis reading now about the connections between Laszlo Paztor and the Free Congress Foundation and we should bear in mind uh that Laszlo Paztor is closely allied with the ABN finally FCF's insinuation into the politics of the East must be judged by their selection of Laszlo Paztor to head their Liberation Support Alliance quote which seeks to liberate peoples in central and eastern European nations Paztor's involvement in East European politics began in World War II when he joined the youth organization of the Arrow Cross the Nazi Party of Hungary when the Arrow Cross was installed in power by a German commando operation Paztor was sent to Berlin to help facilitate the liaison between the Arrow Cross and Hitler Paztor was tried and served two years in jail for his Arrow Cross activities after an anti-communist government was elected in Hungary in nineteen forty five he eventually came to the U S and established the ethnic arm of the Republican National Committee for Richard Nixon he brought other Nazi collaborators from the Eastern Front into the GOP some were later found to have participated in mass murder during the war the dormant Arrow Cross has surfaced

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the dormant Arrow Cross has surfaced again in Hungary where there have been attempts to lift the ban on the Nazi organization Paztor spent several months in Hungary when Wyrick later conducted training there he was provided a list of Paztor's contacts inside the country Wyrick's report that reports that he conducted training for the recently formed and now governing party New Democratic Forum Paztor claims to have assisted some of his friends in Hungary in getting NED funding through his advisory positions with NED in 1989 he spoke at the Heritage Foundation under the sponsorship of the anti-bolshevik block of nations or ABN a multinational umbrella organization of immigrant fascists and Nazis founded in alliance with Hitler in 1943 it is led by the OUN Paztor spoke for the Hungarian organization quote unquote of ABN which is the Arrow Cross note here the element of historical continuity vis-a-vis the ABN beginning with Adolf Hitler in 1943 and going all the way up through active participation not only in the US National Security Establishment although but also the Republican Party and by the way we talked about the ABN in addition to uh Radio Free America 14 part of which we're going to hear now and uh part of Radio Free America 15. we also came back to it in the Miscellaneous Archive show Nazis and Anti-Semites on George Bush's campaign we also featured a section of that in another Miscellaneous Archive show called the Political Resume of George Bush now it's worth noting that the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations has long maintained that uh the quote rollback of communism which

has been advocated by the western nations and also by our national security establishment should not just include the ousting of the soviets from the eastern european countries which has now happened under uh gorbachev and uh glasnost perestroika

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gorbachev and uh glasnost perestroika but beyond that uh they advocated that rollback actually involved the breakup of the soviet union into its constituent republics and uh different nationalities uh the further rollback the accelerated rollback advocated by abn appears to be one of the two alternative goals of what i see is the ongoing destabilization of the soviet union it seems to me that and i have hypothesized in this radio free america broadcast in this series i'm doing that our national security establishment either aims at breaking up the soviet union into its constituent republics the goal of the abn or else provoking a return to the cold war which would be uh not only an excuse for our military and uh related industries to keep raking in the billions they raked in under the reagan and bush administrations but it also would serve as a vehicle for the further destabilization of the soviet union by placing further strain on the already badly shaken soviet economy that in turn would leave to lead to further social dislocation i believe that either one or the other is the goal of our national security establishment and the ongoing uh destabilization of the soviet union now what we're going to do now is take a look at a section from radio free america 14 this is the first radio free america show in a two-part radio free america series dealing with what was then known as the world anti-communist league this program was originally aired in january of 1986 a little over five years ago and what we're going to be hearing about specifically is the anti-bolshevik block of nations a key element of which is the o-u-n and uh it should also be noted that the anti-bolshevik block of nations is an organization uh which is carrying on an old old policy which predates the second world war we're going to begin by looking at an organization called the prometheus organization which could be conceived of as a pre-wacke wacke and their attempts to foment not only turkish uh nationalism inside the soviet

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turkish uh nationalism inside the soviet union but also the uh ukrainian nationalism as well after taking a look at the prometheus organization we're going to take a look at the uh oun and its participation in the anti-bolshevik block of nations and its work for the third reich during the second world war a section of which we already looked at in radio free america number one by the way talk speaking of the o u n recall too that uh vilnius in lithuania and lithuania as a whole under sejudis the uh organization with with many fascist antecedents and participants that has become the headquarters for activism by dissident soviet nationalities on the back of covert action information bulletin uh issue number 35 in the first installment of radio free america 36 this series i'm doing we took a look at a picture that is on the back of our faith of rfa of covert action information bullet number 35 and there is a picture and i did the caption is members of the ukrainian nationalist organization arrive in vilnius lithuania to voice their support for independence march 23rd of 1990 so lithuania apparently is serving as an epicenter for dissident soviet nationalities their connections with western intelligence and their fascist antecedents as well we're now going to hear about more of the ongoing policy and a day predates world war two to break up the soviet union into its constituent nationalities once again this is a section from radio free america program number seven number 14 this was originally broadcast in january of 1986. now for the rest of the broadcast we're going to be taking a look at the european and eurasian branch of black and specifically we're going to be taking a look at the anti-bolshevik nations the abn now in a nutshell the soviet union is descended from the old russian empire basically the tsar conquered a bunch of different territories and when the members when the subjects of the russian empire revolted what they had what we wound up

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revolted what they had what we wound up with or what the world wound up with basically was a headless empire a

bunch of states which had been joined artificially through military conquest and which then found themselves in a sort of a spontaneous political union and obviously many of the member uh peoples uh had nationalistic aspirations of their own the ukrainians uh many asian middle eastern peoples in not only the asian part of the soviet union but also those parts of it that are could be considered eurasian or middle eastern many of the peoples in the soviet union are of turkic extraction and are very similar to the the kinds of ethnic peoples found in the middle east we're going to be taking a look at some of the ukrainians and ukrainian nationalism some of the japan turkists and uh some of the turkic speaking peoples in the soviet union and how these groups uh come together in the anti-bolshevik nations the abn the key name there is ledobrianski ronald reagan's ambassador to the bahamas now by way of introducing the anti-bolshevik nations which is going to occupy the rest of the broadcast this evening we're going to read from a super manuscript unpublished unfortunately called the dallas conspiracy the dallas conspiracy was authored by peter dale scott who's a professor at the university of california at berkeley an unpublished manuscript which is available from tom davis books we'll give you that address at the end of the program about the abn peter dale scott writes as follows in the dallas conspiracy the anti-bolshevik block of nations or abn with its american lobby the af abn the american friends of the anti-bolshevik nations was similar to but slightly to the right of the cia supported assembly of captive european nations or acen with its uscia front the american friends of the captive nations headed by christopher emmett whereas the acen lobbied for the liberation of poland czechoslovakia and the rest of the area between the iron curtain and the ussr the abn looked also for the liberation of the ukraine armenia georgia kasakia azerbaijan idaho ural turkistan and of other ethnic

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ural turkistan and of other ethnic nationalities inside the 1939 borders of the soviet union and again the soviet union is an amalgam of a wide variety of different peoples many of whom had independent nationalistic aspirations uh these sometimes merged with a doctrinaire anti-communism and became fascism it's sort of a mixed bag and however after the war this mixed value became and during the war and after the war world war ii that is this mixed bag became essentially fascist at the continuing with scots narrative at the heart of the abn alliance were the resources of two actual post-war underground movements the hungarian freedom fighters and the ukrainian ouanner underground army for interrupting briefly recall that hungary fought on the side of the axis in world war ii as well continuing by 1960 however the abn had come to concentrate on psychological and political warfare thus it competed with russian immigrant organizations such as the nts or solidarists to be discussed shortly for places in u.s supported psywar activities like radio liberation later renamed radio liberty in munich recall that's a galen operation and um interjecting very briefly here the ukrainian nationalists and the abn in general are inseparable from the galen organization they are a major element of it and simply can't be separated at any point from the galen organization referring to abn and radio liberty it also participated in planning for a grand world alliance of world anti-communist forces to be called the world anti-communist congress for freedom and liberation waccfl whose composition is indicated by the 15 man steering committee elected at a preparatory conference in mexico city in march of 1958 recall we read some of that list in the beginning of the broadcast the mexico city conference was itself called in response to the taipei statement of an international group meeting in october of 1957 in taiwan Chiang Kai-shek of taiwan re a of singapore of south korea and gym of south vietnam were each represented in the steering committee by a top figure in their respective party apparatus german veterans of hitler's frustrated

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german veterans of hitler's frustrated anti-commentary and aust politique programs were included notably fritz kraemer spelled c-r-a-m-e-r of the c-i-a-s committee for information and social activity a former officer of the ob fair that's german military intelligence in riga and lisbon from 1939 to 45. alfred gilland spoke g-i-e-l-e-n c-i-a-s secretary general and former nazi publicis publicist for gerbil's anti-common turn became the waccfl steering committee's regional secretary for europe and interestingly enough in a footnote uh to the passage i just read you

peter dale scott adds about fritz kramer spelled c-r-a-m-e in the 1950s kramer was also president of everhard talbert's volkswagen for friday and fry hider a vff an industry financed private vigilante group to ferret out and maintain files on german leftists now of course that's very similar to the american security council so it's interesting that a key member of the wacfl the steering committee which was to uh give birth i guess act as the midwife for wacko in 1966 fritz cramer cra mer former nazi intelligence officer ran just such an organization in uh in combination with a man named eberhard talbert okay so a similar kind of organization to the american security council and interestingly enough talbert the man he worked with here is also interesting talbert the head of again returning to the footnote here talbert the head of division pro 2 in goebbel's propaganda ministry had quote prided himself on being the wire puller behind the anti-common turn propaganda organization that from kurt towers beyond eagle and swastika middletown connecticut wesleyan university press 67. so interestingly enough now again fritz kramer a member of the wacfl steering committee key wacko member here not only a former nazi intelligencer but a co-head of a private intelligence group which basically provided industry with files on political activists also worth noting that the person ever hired

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noting that the person ever hired talbert who was co-head of this vff group with fritz kramer was a former participant in goebbel's propaganda ministry in the anti-common turn effort significant because the american security council similar to function to bff also of course to the young organization had links with goebbel's anti-common turn effort again looking at whacke as the second anti-common turn continuing here with peter dale scott's account the american representatives were veteran china lobbyist charles edison of the john birch society and american security council and lev bill brianski a ukrainian-american army reserve officer and professor at georgetown university with close links to army intelligence circles the abn had two of the two of them of the 15 seats on the world committee one less than latin america its representatives were yaroslav stetzko s-t-e-t-z-k-o briefly a premier of the short-lived ukrainian republic at the time of the 1941 german invasion and fairing farcas f.a.r.k.a.s the abn military chief who commanded the army of arrow cross chief salazi executed as a war criminal against the russians in world war ii so again the explicitly fascist and the pro third reich orientation of many of the the component members of abn has been touched on here and uh we're going to going to develop here as we go okay and we've got coming up here some other stuff we're going to be getting into the some other remnants and some other uh parts of the anti-bolshevik block of nations but again we have to stress that the the makeup of the group and the fact that basically nothing has changed they've only become more respectable because their leaders are now connected to our current administration um and we're going to be we've been focusing on some of the bolshevist groups i mean the anti-bolshevist groups from eastern europe specifically and we're going to be probably talking about them more before the broadcast ends we're coming up on some things uh having to do with the middle east but before we get to

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the middle east but before we get to that we have to talk about some of the situations that uh perhaps even going back a little further than we've been going in the show i talked about some of the situations that led to this particular uh formation actually even back before the 30s and before the nazis came to power um and and clear back to the early days of the the struggle between russia which well yes the early soviet socialist republic and poland okay now one of the things to remember about poland in fact about all political movements is that they're not homogeneous poland was basically a fascist country even though it was conquered by nazi germany and perhaps suffered worse than any other nation was by perhaps the exception of ussr under nazi rule the polls were just devastated uh by the six years of nazi rules or five years of nazi rule however it's important to remember that uh one that that poland under marshall field suzuki was for all intents and purposes of fascist country it was explicitly anti-labor and anti-semitic and anti-soviet very imperialistic in its aspirations and however kielsootski simply uh like the polls were extremely nationalistic still are but in that period whereas poland had been a major power in previous centuries there

was a i should say because poland had been a major power in previous centuries there was a sort of nostalgia on the part of many polish leaders for a return to a large imperial poland marshall pilsudski shared these aspirations and because of this was unable to fit into the sort of fascist coalition that mussolini and also romania hungary and bulgaria were able to fit into again a couple of things mussolini being a good example this was of course much the same reason that mussolini was able to uh to bring the people of italy behind fascism was because of the fact that it had been so long since italy had been a major player um in fact in the case of italy had been roughly 2 000 years since italy had been any kind of force on the world political scene and mussolini was able to inspire his countrymen with the memories of the legions of rome and the days that the world quaked to the boots or the sandals

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world quaked to the boots or the sandals of the legions of rome or whatever his phrase was that he used and was able to inspire just as again we mentioned yoshio kadama and his idea about combining militarism and nationalism with this sort of samurai ideal of medieval japan we notice these things happening very often these kinds of emotional appeals to a nationalism that is in many cases uh not only ridiculously impractical but several thousand years out of date so this is how pilsudski was able to appeal to the polish people and was able to uh among other things to romanticize what was basically as they put it a fascist country again the other point that needs to be stressed for people who are not familiar um with history and have had their um their fascism and their uh capitalism and communism packaged for them in tv movies and things as dave said there were uh numerous people in germany who were anti-hitler and were still pro-nazi um in the same way the fascists of poland especially by the end of the war were distinctly anti-nazi most of them uh while nonetheless uh giving up none of their own pro-fascist mentality so that's a keen and key important point to remember that because you are anti-nazi you are not necessarily anti-fascist and vice versa also recall that uh radio free america number one we talked about polish attempts to uh parts of the ukraine so polish nationalism and if the resulting conflicts with the soviet union is something that we've touched on in the past and that has been going on for a long time again uh herbert hoover's efforts aiding the polish world 1921 we talked about it radio free america number one okay now touching back on a comment that niptuk made uh one of the groups which uh one of one of the peoples on in in the 20th century who have been affected by uh an irredentist movement so to speak by basically a longing for bygone days of empire are

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longing for bygone days of empire are the turks of course the ottoman turks built a very very powerful empire encompassing much of europe uh during uh during the middle ages and just before and uh the the turks although in the 20th century their power was largely eclipsed there remain among the turkish people uh not only a strong longing on the parts of certain people for empire but also because many many ethnic turks lie outside of modern turkey there is a strong nationalist movement among the so-called outside turks people of turkish extraction who live outside the borders of modern turkey now this pan turkish movement has been very very strong in the 20th century and because many of the turkic speaking peoples lie inside the boundaries of the modern soviet union pan-turkism took a largely anti-soviet character in its attempt to unite all turkic speaking peoples under uh one nationally into one national entity uh the pan-turkist movement has sought the return of many of the turkic speaking areas of the soviet union as part of a greater turkey and this pan-turkist movement is one of the things that we're going to be looking at and it's incorporation into the abn this will be cropping up later in our in future broadcasts in particular in the background of the shooting of the pope we're not going to look at that specifically this evening but we are going to look at the pan-turkist movement as part of german fascism and even before and we're going to see how that became incorporated into the abn now we're calling again fascist poland under marshall phil sutschke and its aspirations to regain part of the soviet union one of the things that uh marshall pilsudski set up was something called the prometheus organization okay the name for the greek god who brought prior to man supposedly the greek titan i should say and the prometheus organization was basically as the researcher by the way credit uh for all of the

information on the pan turkish movement here including the prometheus organization goes to a fabulous researcher in the east and uh when these people were actually two researchers and when they were explaining this to me uh they characterized the prometheus movement as sort of a pre-wackie wackie

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movement as sort of a pre-wackie wackie at least with regard to its european and eurasian components it basically was just that it was sort of uh a an anti-soviet group which was composed largely of various nationalist groups inside the soviet union and sought to break up the soviet union and defeat the soviet government in that way it was probably anti-soviet but anti-communist and explicitly fascist in its outlook although many of the people involved with it were nationalists and the the anti-communism and fascism were secondary if there were of any importance at all to them however the organization itself as we're going to see began cooperating with the third reich which made good use of pan-turkist elements following information about the prometheus network this pre-wackie wackie based in pilsudski's poland which involved uh pan-turkist elements to a considerable extent information on this comes from a book called pan-turkism in turkey subtitled the study of irredentism was offered by jacob landnow lan dau published in london by c hurston company i don't know the date off hand and landau writes of the prometheus network as follows speaking of the period just before world war ii during this period several periodicals of canned turk character were published in europe most were issued regularly probably because of the expenses involved but there were two exceptions published in budapest and promethe an anti-soviet journal originating in poland and a pompeii is skipping down land outright and uh talking here about something which you needn't we needn't concern ourselves with which is uh pan-tyrannic journals here and so forth it was evident that the turret it's not important to pay attention to that but leading into discussion of the prometheus network it was evident that the tehran society and its publications constituted an expression of the isolation felt by the hungarians in what appeared to them as a hostile environment as well as a manifestation of their search for potential allies to a great extent this was also the the feeling of those polish circles which published the other long-term interwar periodical chromate

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periodical chromate this was the organ of the promethean league a semi-clandestine anti-soviet association established and sponsored by president kilsuki the polish ministry for foreign affairs and the general staff as an umbrella organization to provide financial assistance and political coordination for anti-communist governments in exile all those who had suffered at the hands of the soviets were considered as their natural allies against the soviet peril among these the outside turks held a prominent position the association's bulletin prometheus [Applause] was published monthly in paris from november of 1926 to april of 1938 note here that in addition to the outside turks ukrainian nationalists were very prominent in prometheus continuing turkistan was subsequently added to its masthead and the publication was ultimately named prometheus anyway of the ussr well-known pan-turkists such as zod mizabala and others contributed articles about the strong sentiments for independence and for a pan-turk union in azerbaijan the caucasus and turkistan polish financial aid to pan-turkist organizations may well have continued even during the second world war this subject however lies beyond the scope of our immediate concern what does not lie outside the scope of our immediate concern though is that the anti-soviet aspirations of the pan-turkists and other elements the ukrainians of the uh promethean league were to find expression in the third right now this next section is from a book called turkism and the soviets and the book is by charles warren hostler colonel u.s air force and it's published 1957 by george allen and unwinn limited of london it's also worth noting that uh one of some of the people who helped this this guy was an air force colonel who did a lot of research on this stuff and there's an interesting note there and as we get into this the the segment we're reading itself you'll notice a kind of a

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itself you'll notice a kind of a slightly interesting tone to some of the comments the man makes about these uh turkish uh connections to the third reich and one of the things you may remember a name from the first article that we read he talks about hustler and his forward mentions uh how does he put it okay here returning from turkey in 1950 i was assigned to the u.s air force's far-sighted graduate training program at georgetown university okay in this period i had the good fortune to become associated with dr stefan t passani who guided me in writing a shorter study the panteranian appeal etcetera etcetera and he started he thanks pasani again at the end now pasoni again is a figure of the far right affiliated with wacko as we mentioned in the first article and a member of the waccfl steering committee that we just looked at with mrs kramer and guylin and a big wig at our own local hoover institution as well as his affiliation with georgetown georgetown of course we've talked about a great deal because of its involvement in a whole variety of right-wing politics and it's uh it's basically among other things it's a journalist factory for the right wing and we've talked about claire sterling michael ladine arno de borgarov etc etc um claire sterling michael ladine again particularly interesting because of the fact that as dave mentioned the the pan turkish movement comes in very strongly into the assassination attempt on the pope and uh here we have this other connection to georgetown to pasoni and uh and things like that of people writing about these same groups also and also being affiliated with the world anti-communist league so that's something we'll probably get into at a later point anyway i'm going to read a little bit from turkism in the soviet by charles warren hessler usaf and georgetown graduate the pan turkish iridentis regarded as inevitable the defeat of the ussr and considered possible the creation of a confederation of all the turkish peoples of soviet russia and chinese turkistan

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of soviet russia and chinese turkistan under the turkish republic's leadership in general soviet sources are in accord with the western ones on this question and miller in his ocean history begins the story of german turkish collaboration with a period preceding the outbreak of the german soviet war four days excuse me four days prior to the german attack on the soviet on july 18 1941 the turkish german pact of friendship and non-aggression was signed in the interval from 1941 to 1942 the turkish press openly assailed the soviet there were indications of increased turkish preparation to take part in events and to arrange caucasian and other turkish areas independently or with german concurrence in the autumn of 1942 the turks concentrated troops at the caucasian border anticipating the fall of stalingrad the anti-soviet campaign of the turkish press had then reached its zenith one may conclude that highly placed persons in the turkish state had plans ready to exploit all the possibilities the german soviet war and a collapse of the ussr could furnish for the realization of panned turkish ideals the outbreak of the war in june 1941 aroused great hopes among among the turco tatar leaders scattered in the west and in turkey nearly all of these leaders approached the germans and supplied them with various aid memoirs documents etc the germans also sought contacts and the exchange of opinions veli khan one of the chief followers of mustafa chokai also kokalio or chokaya a leader of the turkistanis we'll just call him mustafa chokai a leader of the turkistanis was in touch with the germans and had given them pertinent facts on turkistan he insisted that turkistan should not become part of any future russian federation

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the head of the azerbaijan musavet party went to bucharest after the occupation of poland in 1939. he sent an exhaustive report to the germans and subsequently went to berlin the prometean leaders who were living in warsaw during the german occupation also supplied the germans with material noting there a continuation of anti-soviet policy from the prometean organization originally under polish sponsorship a continuity of action to the third reich um ayas ishaki and syed shamil leaders of the kaizon tatars and north caucasians respectively also went to berlin the crimean turks were represented in berlin by mustang fazil and eddie akiramal mentioned above in the letter from general we don't care about that and several turkish politicians and unofficial representatives including ex general erkellet traveled there or um and several pro excuse me several turkish politicians and unofficial representatives

including ex general archelete traveled there or visited the front lines [Applause] and other turco tatar leaders were permitted by the germans to visit the occupied portions of the turko tatar regions of the soviet union namely crimea and the northern caucasus a most important political and military aspect of world war ii pan-turkist activity involved the national military units formed of turks from the soviet union who fought in the german armed forces against the soviets the idea of forming these units originated with two prominent turks mustafa chokai and veli kajum khan mustafa chokai died in december 1941 but german educated kajum khan became commissioner for turkistan together with the other commissioners for azerbaijan volga ural caucasus and crimea who were appointed by the german ost ministerium ministry for occupied eastern territories the idea of using the turks of the ussr

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the idea of using the turks of the ussr in the fight against the soviets must have been readily accepted by the german high command whose approach to such problems were purely utilitarian there was probably no serious nazi political opposition to this idea as the territories inhabited by the turks of the ussr lay in general outside the limits of planned direct expansion of the right oh it interrupted this is wishful thinking on his part in fact one of the key people that we're going to look at theodore oberlando this is sort of an aside who was actually imprisoned in a concentration camp for a short time for proposing the use of these various turkic turkic nationalities as allies of the third reich after a while the german losses forced a reconsideration of that but that position but initially they were pure arynes and so they were actually scornful although they would use them they would not grant them uh equal allies status and so uh that's actually sort of a a a not an accurate statement on his part here the germans needed military security and combat replacements the receptiveness of the turkish prisoners of war to the proposal stemmed in part from their political and religious convictions the vermont was aware of their propaganda influence on other soviet troops of turk background and also their political potential of diminishing enemy resistance achieving speedy pacification of occupied territory and making allies out of these populations the overwhelming majority of the turk volunteers were recruited from among soviet prisoners of war captured by the germans the 162nd infantry division commanded by general oscar von niethermeyer a well-known german specialist in middle eastern affairs was assigned the task of organizing them into combat battalions this activity was implemented by army group south which was largely in the central ukraine area a top secret memoir by rosenberg that's albert rosenberg concerning his discussion with hitler on december 14 1941 indicates by the date by that date partial turquization of these units was completed and the experience was judged successful

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and the experience was judged successful on december 30th 1941 the high command of the vermont was directed to establish a turkistan legion consisting of members of the following nationalities turkmens uzbeks kazakhs kyrgyz's karakopaks and tajiks iab caucasian legion composed of azerbaijanis dagistanis legends and chechens see a georgian legion and d in armenian legion by the way armenia is one of these territories which has sort of got bisected during the imperial period half of it's in russia half of it's in turkey like azerbaijan another area in the soviet union is half in soviet and half in iran by the way armenia is one of these territories which is sort of uh got bisected during the imperial period half of it's in russia half of it's in turkey like azerbaijan another area in the soviet union is half in soviet and half in iran a volga tatar legion and a north caucasian legion were formed in 1942 these legions were training centers where national units were organized and indoctrinated for each of them a corresponding national committee existed the commanding officers of these legions had the disciplinary authority of a commander of an independent battalion they were subordinate to the commander of the 162nd infantry division the legions received prisoners of war from collecting camps and were charged with training them into future combat battalions each legion headquarters had a permanent cadre of german military personnel and the necessary number of turks selected by the legion commander after completing of their training and political indoctrination the combat battalions left the 167th infantry division for attachment to different active german divisions during the subsequent subsequent war

years the turks the germans grouped the georgians armenians etc under this term as well furnish the rank and file elements of 19 unattached battalions and 24 companies

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unattached battalions and 24 companies among other duties these units were used for frontline action and for fighting partisans as early as may 1942 turk battalion number 450 fought valiantly against partisans near john paul in the ukraine and dispersed the interim enemy after suffering 28 casualties there were only two german officers and two non-commissioned officers attached to this battalion the post of general was established in december 1942 it was occupied first by general helmik and then by general kestering as a result of the activities of the turkistan national committee the east turkish waffen-verband of an ss unit was formed in 1944 of four regiments of two battalions each one composed of turks from turkistan another of azerbaijanis a third one of volga ural turks and the fourth of crimean tatars now one thing to notice here just for future reference because we're not going to need to deal with it too much tonight but notice the fact again it so often happened to these groups of these groups with whatever their particular gripe was to begin with getting involved in coming into the nazi sphere of influence and then not only having that initial uh movement in that direction but then going through official training and indoctrination and believe me folks it seems to stick and we're going to be talking about that in future broadcasts okay and again note the continuity of policy from the uh the various anti-soviet groups who combined under the promethean banner in pilsudski's poland then prometheus adds gives assistance during the german occupation to the nazis the pan-turkists seize upon the nazis as they're basically their vehicle for the partitioning of the soviet union and the adding of the turkic speaking peoples to a greater turkey and note in particular the use of various turkic minorities in german military units to fight against the ussr now again the anti-bolshevik nations of the peoples involved with the anti-bolshevik nations became one of the

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anti-bolshevik nations became one of the key elements of the galen spy organization both during world war ii and afterward when it jumped to the u.s now recall the various turkic minorities working for the germans in their military units reading a short section now from a book called galen spy of the century published in hardcover by random house copyright 1971 and authored by a man named e h cook galen by the way was hitler's was the head of foreign armies east he was hitler's chief intelligence officer for the eastern front in charge of all intelligence activities in that theater after the war he jumped to the united states and then nato and finally to west germany with not only his whole organization but with his files intact so a continuity of intelligence functions from the third reich to the united states to nato to modern germany and again all under this man reinhard galen now of some of the activities of reinhard galen's foreign armies east and specifically the use of turkic peoples in military units on the eastern front we're going to encounter a name here who's a key key person with regard to the world anti-communist league and we're going to be coming back to him reading from galen's by the century from such caucasian defectors was was recruited a battalion code named bergman or minor which grew to comprise three georgian one azerbaijani and one armenian company under the command of captain theodore oberlander some of these men went into action in october of 1942 at terek and mozdak collecting 1600 defectors from the soviet division whose political commissar was miguel suslav so again theodore oberlander a key member of wacko as we're going to look at shortly was commanding a battalion composed of tricky defectors fighting now against the ussr now it's worth noting uh that the nation of turkey essentially remained in neutral although they were quite sympathetic to the access they remained neutral until the very end of the war when they came in on the side of the allies now the pan turkish the pan-turkist activists were very very bitter towards

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activists were very very bitter towards the turkish government obviously they wanted to bring the turkish nation in on the side of the axis as a means for assisting the german victory and for partitioning the eurasian parts of the soviet union now the turkish government was a little more far far sighted than these individuals and they basically held the reign in on the pan-turkists because they were afraid that the pan-turkists might uh eventually bring them into the war against the soviet union not that they were particularly enamored of the ussr but they were afraid of it and they felt that remaining neutral would be a better path to for them to pursue in case as it turned out to be to be the ussr won the war then they would not have an enemy a huge and powerful enemy on its borders so because of this reason because they didn't want to alienate the ussr and as it turned out that was a far-sighted uh decision the turkish government reigns in the pan-turkists in turkey because the pan-turkists want to bring turkey into the war on the side of the axis and in 1944 as the fortunes the military fortunes were turning very obviously against the germans and the pan-turkists felt that their time was running out a series of demonstrations broke out in turkey to attempt to prevail the turks to come in on the side of the axis they were put down and a key name for our purposes was crops up in connection with these demonstrations and we're going to be reading from uh jacob landau's book panterkism in turkey and uh the name comes up at the very end so there'll be a lot of other names before then um reading from landau's book open conflict between pan-turkists and the government was thus inevitable again dave just explained why there's conflict between the government and the pan turkish the government wishing to remain neutral the pan turkish not wishing to remain neutral on 20th of on the february 20th and march 21st 1944 respectively otzis published two open letters to premier mehmet sukru sarkozu in this monthly orgoon denouncing subversive activities

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orgoon denouncing subversive activities in turkey chiefly those of communists and demanding more active turkish and by inference pan turkish policy several issues of orgoon were confiscated and the periodical was subsequently closed down the pan turkists then took to the streets crossing the critical threshold between ideological propaganda and political action on may 3rd 1944 in defiance of martial law regulations large anti-communist demonstrations took place in both istanbul and ankara to protest against what the government with the demonstrators considered the penetration of communism into turkey's government bureaucracy and educational system pan-turks slogans were also in evidence probably inspired by growing anxiety over the fate of turkic groups in the soviet union the deportation of tatars and others was then being planned and was in fact carried out a few days later such notable pan turkish as turkan and others were involved as well as a young captain al parslan turkesh who was yet to make his mark in turkish politics now al-parslan turkesh along with a lot of other students and folks were involved in our pla our paslan turkish is a man whose name and we are going to hear a lot more of okay now al farsalan turkesh is head of the national action party which uh is a although it is pan-turkist it is also extremely fascist and and racist in its outlook the national action party is a dominant force in turkey today very closely allied with many nato elements and of course it's youth wing and it's explicitly fascist now although it is pan turkish this is this marriage of panturkism and nazism during the war here is what led to this uh this this uh outlook basically the youth wing of the the national action party are the gray wolves of which the met ali ajah is probably the probably the best known member now returning again to theodore oberliner key member of wacko and a fellow who was commanding a battalion

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fellow who was commanding a battalion composed of turkic nationals who had been captured by the germans and uh reformed into a unit fighting against the soviet union apparently yeah and not apparently definitely theodore oberlander had envisioned the use of the various ethnic nationalities of the soviet union as weapons against the soviet union and envisioned granting them equal ally status this was something that uh most of the germans did not want to do and so it actually led to oberlanders falling out of favor but oberlander had keyed the strategy and this was used by galen of utilizing the various ethnic nationalities in the soviet union specifically as as political allies and

to be used in order to break up the ussr and defeat it militarily i mention this because this is a key element of various aspects of the abn today the breakup of the soviet union and uh the nationalist aspirations of the various ethnic nationalities were to be utilized by oberlander reading from a book called against stalin and hitler written by a man named wilfrid street strikefeld and that man is a key galen aide by the way uh this book was copyright 1970 published in hardcover by the john day company it's sort of a distorted book it maintains that the vlasov army which fought with galen against hitler uh was basically also anti-hitler it wasn't although they weren't enamored of hitler they weren't fighting against him they were fighting against the ussr so he takes a little bit of uh of uh leeway here with historical reality however the important part here is he describes oberlander and his philosophy a proposal of zeitzler approved by hitler ran quote locally raised formations are not to be of more than battalion strength remuneration should be of some kind or other in money or promises but at the very moment when hitler ruled out units of more than one battalion strength there had come into being the cossack division under general von pondwicz the russian defense corps inside in serbia under the immigrant general stefan and other large formations as well professor oberlander was commanding the so-called mountaineers regiment composed of

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mountaineers regiment composed of caucasians which had served with distinction in the southern army group this i learned from a memorandum of oberlanders a copy which reached me from the okw that's german military high command oberlander pressed for the setting up of russian and ukrainian liberation armies with the status of allies we've already seen oberlander working with turkic nationals and nationalities from the soviet union now we're going to take a look at oberlander working with ukrainians as well okay this is from a village voice article may 14 1985 headline reagan and the war crimes lobby the article is by joe connison he also wrote the first article along with murray wass that we read tonight on the broadcast a leading figure among the righteous emma grays is they're talking again about the righteous democrats who are specifically in this case trying to smash the office of special investigations which is investigating uh world war ii war criminals in the united states many of whom are eastern european immigrants many of whom are strongly affiliated with the reagan administration as we've been talking about tonight among their supporters not only ronald reagan but his uh communications director pat buchanan a leading figure among the rightist emigres is dr lev dobrianski reagan's ambassador to the bahamas and chairman of the ukrainian congress committee of america of the ucca and the captive nations committee incorporated dobryansky whose daughter paula serves on the staff of the national security council is also board chairman of a leading immigrant publication the ukrainian quarterly another is yaroslav stetzko chairman of the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations the abn we've been talking about them a lot tonight and for a brief period in the summer of 1941 premier of the independent republic of the ukraine stetzko an elder statesman of the international far right was received at the white house in july 1983 by the president and vice president george bush he and dobryansky also helped to create the world anti-communist league the

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the world anti-communist league the organizational haven for neo-nazis fascists and anti-semitic extremists from two dozen countries formerly headed by racial theorist roger pearson the spotty history of wartime ukrainian nationalism is useful in understanding the anti-osi campaign osi of course office of special investigations the people who are trying to deport these war criminals it's useful in understanding the anti-osi campaign in which dobryansky stetsco and their compatriots are implicated for centuries the believers in a separate ukrainian state were frustrated by rulers from without polish german and russian and irritated by the presence on their soil of non-ukrainians principally poles and jews these sentiments found expression in a variety of nationalist organizations but the most important role during the war was played by the organization of ukrainian nationalists o-u-n a fascistic outfit that freely employed terror and murder in its quest for a racially pure ukrainian state by 1940 after hitler and stalin divided the ukraine between them the oun had split into two factions the more active and radical the ounb was

identified by the last name of its would-be fuhrer stephen his most trustworth trusted lieutenant was a young nationalist named yaroslav stetsko hitler's plan to invade the soviet union involved the campaign through the ukraine with the promised assistance of the ou n bandera whose chief patron in the nazi regime was the real furious racial mentor alfred rosenberg but there was disagreement among the top nazi leaders on the quote ukrainian question heinrich himmler and martin borman for example insisted that slavs were under mention lesser peoples whose only purpose on earth was to serve aryan masters to them no ukrainian state was tolerable rosenberg himself a baltic german was more accommodating and furthermore saw himself as the say trap of an eastern

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himself as the say trap of an eastern realm in a quote new europe o u n bandera held its first and second congresses under nazi auspices and among its resolutions in 1941 was the following quote the jews in the soviet union are the most dependable underpinning of the ruling bolshevist regime and an avant-garde of muscovite imperialism in the ukraine the organization of ukrainian nationalists opposes the jews as a pillar of the muscovite bolshevist regime and at the same time as informing the mass of people that moscow is the main enemy such was the ideological preparation for the nazi invasion and the holocaust that came in its wake simultaneously the ou n bandera was adopted by the nazi spy apparatus the obver to aid in the actual invasion both militarily and for intelligence purposes battalions of ou and bandera volunteers under german command were formed both in occupied poland the noctigal or nightingale division and in austria the roland division though the surviving adherents of the ou n bandera deny it historical evidence shows that the ukrainian nationalists under bandera reached for an agreement with the nazis for the future control of the ukraine on june 30th 1941 the nazi invasion reached level the capital of the ukrainian province of galicia which was the saint which was the ouen bandera stronghold that same evening the ou and mandara leaders who had traveled to galicia with the nazis declared a sovereign ukrainian state with yaroslav stetsuko as quote premier the division among the nazis erupted in reaction to this declaration and within 10 days stetzko was placed under honorary arrest by officers of the ss although this arrest is now portrayed as severe repression by the ou in bandera in fact the germans treated bandera and his followers rather well especially compared to the jews and other victims

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compared to the jews and other victims of the final solution in levov which was being carried out by nazi einsatzgruppen and ukrainian quote militia including many oh you and bandera men indeed according to alexander daleen's authoritative german rule in russia 1941-45 quote during the following days of chaos after the entry into lev it became obvious to the germans that bandera's followers including those in the noctigal regiment were displaying considerable initiative conducting purges and pogroms okay now remember the noctigar regiment and in particular note the use of the o u n bandera and its formation in the ss along with other elements uh of the uh the various the ethnic nationalities that had aspired to carve up the soviet union including as we looked at the the pan-turkists now recall that in radio free america numbers one and two we took a look at the o-u-n bandera the warfare that they carried on in eastern europe under ss auspices we looked at them uh at considerable length at the tail end of radio free america number one and uh again looked at the o u n banderas role in the ss and how later they jumped to the cia along along with the galen organization now the head of the einsatz group in nakhda the uh the base of the einsatzgruppen were the mobile killing units that followed right behind the the regular vermont units in germany they simply dispatched the jews communists and other people that the nazis wanted to get rid of now the knockdown regiment composed largely of ukrainian nationalists and fascists from the ou n bandera we'll tell you who was the head of the einsatz group and nakhdgal referring to teodor oberlander and his wartime activities at that time dr oberlander was an ss officer and a member of the of the notorious ob there according to deit's site of hamburg he was an expert quote for the treatment of other races unquote and the political officer of the einsatzgrupa noctigal

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einsatzgrupa noctigal okay so oberlander is commander of the einsatz group of knockdown involving fascist ukrainians oberlander's unit entered leMBERG on june 30th and remained in the city six days according to rightlinger and other sources seven thousand people were killed chiefly between july 2nd and 4th oberlander does not deny that he was in limburg these days but says that during his stay not a single shot was fired and now after the close of world war ii doctor oh by the way uh let me tell you what i was reading from there i was reading from a book called the new germany and the old nazis authored by a man named t h tetans a german anti-fascist and it was published in hardcover by random house copyright in 1961 that's the section of the book i was just reading from let me uh read you some more again from the new germany and the old nazis by t.h tetons after world war ii dr teodor oberlander went on to become a key cabinet minister under dr adenauer's government recall in radio free america number two we looked at adenauer's role as a nazi functionary as the wartime mayor of cologne now dr teodor oberlander ss man commander of the einstein's group an octagon composed of ukrainians the man who worked with the ethnic turks goes on to become the cabinet minister for ex-ballet now in radio free america number two we looked at how the ex-play office and that that ministry in the uh west german government had basically become a vehicle for the agitation for nazi expansion and the restoration of the 1937 borders of the reich and the expelled group espoused at an expanded reich an expanded reich which would involve uh such cities as warsaw and prague a greatly expanded germany theodore oberlander becomes the head of this particular ministry we also looked at this ministry in connection with radio free america number 11 and we're going to come back to it in radio free america number 15 because this group was very much involved with some of the people involved with the assassination of president kennedy dr walter becker is one of the main names gerhard fry

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one of the main names gerhard fry another we look at that in radio freedom america number 11 the the ex ministry and its role in the kennedy assassination we're going to come back to that in our next program but again oberlander was head of that group reading from the new germany and the old nazis of all his cabinet ministers the minister for ex-ballet dr teodor oberlander caused the chancellor most chagrin as a high nazi official and officer of the ss he was reich's fuhrer of the german alliance in the east dr oberlander had used the nazi press to demand the expulsion and extermination of the slavic peoples and the rapid colonization of the vast conquered territories by the german master race for years german democratic papers had charged dr oberlander with packing the ranks of his ministry with former nazis skipping down the ministry for ex-palais once headed by oberlander is still known as a haven for former high-ranking nazis the personal assistant to the minister is today dr vulfrom a former ss officer the fanatical race propagandist werner vensky ex-mayor of loads served as serves as director of the department head of the press office dr schliekler was a storm troop leader so again oberlander head of the expeller office that office a key uh vehicle for knots for not only a refuge for nazi war criminals a vehicle for nazi agitation connected with the german elements who were coordinating with american fascist elements in the kennedy assassination again check that with radio free america number eleven radio free america two with more information about the ex belay office and we're coming back to it in our next show okay reading from a manuscript by peter dale scott from the english department university of california berkeley dale peter dale scott is dave i believe mentioned earlier in the show a well-known researcher in the field a man who has authored many many well-known articles on such subjects as the kennedy assassination and other things has also done a lot of work on the subject matter that we're talking about tonight namely the world anti-communist league which of course winds up to be intimately connected to the kennedy assassination by the way this the name of this manuscript it's called government documents and the jfk

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government documents and the jfk assassination like the dallas conspiracy available from tom davis books okay

reading from peter dale scott's manuscript nelson bunker hunt meanwhile and of course those of you know this is hunt of the famous hl hunt family also hunt uh the wacko group and uh we've looked at so often nelson mung bunker hunt meanwhile had become the texas representative of a german-based intelligence network the icdcc or international committee for the defense of christian culture which paradoxically united many of the cia's most prominent opponents within the united states most notably china lobbyist general charles willoughby general macarthur's former g2 in japan and korea with representatives from cia sponsored organizations abroad such as the ukrainians cultivated by the galen organization parenthetically the folks we've just been talking about one chairman of the icdcc hermann poonder was a former obvious agent and close ally of galen's sponsors conrad adenauer and herrmann obs of the deutsche bank conrad conarado now of course became the chancellor of germany after world war ii herrmann opps the deutsche bank one of the most important financial wheels in germany before during and after world war ii while a later chairman theodore oberlander was close to the right-wing german immigrant group to whose newspaper general walker spoke by long-distance telephone on november 22 1963 transmitting the story accepted by the warren report that oswald that's of course lee harvey oswald had shot at walker in april of 1963. the icdcc also appears to have been particularly concerned about the future of vietnam thus oberlander represented the icdcc at the 1966 conference of the asian people's anti-communist league again the apacl we talked about earlier a pro-gm group along with several of gm's original backers in the united states notably father raymond de jager

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states notably father raymond de jager of the free pacific association and such other luminaries as tom charles houston then the secretary general of marvin liebman's world youth crusade for freedom and later after two-year stint in army intelligence the author of the white house houston plan and by the way the houston plan uh authored in the nixon white house was so absolutely repressive and uh so absolutely floating of uh conventional constitutional rights that nixon had to uh had to tear it up although of course the actual things that were written into the plan went on anyway and some of them wound up being watergate okay now note in that passage that theodore oberlander the adenauer ministry minister for ex-belays is involved with this icdcc with two of the key names we looked at before in aryan nations charles willoughby the german-born macarthur intelligence chief and also bunker hunt key bircher member of the hunt family and participant in the jfk assassination as we looked at in radio free america number 11. these guys combining with ted or oberlander in the icdcc just to show you how some of these elements are continuous to the present day following article comes from the arizona republic research credit to ted rubinstein this from the arizona republic of january 30th 1983 to story headlines cia allegedly has data on pope pope attacker so this is by robert d kaplan of the cox news service caitlin this country's most prospective authority on terrorism said in an interview that the u.s central intelligence agency had its own agent an ethnic turk born in the soviet union working immediately with right-wing turkish militants close to gunman momenta lee army in available war ii and was recruited by the cia after the war was successful in penetrating turkish fascists fascist circles in the days

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fascists fascist circles in the days when ajah worked as a hired gun for the national movement party a leading right-wing organization rumshu said that nazar a man now about 60 was born near tashkent in soviet turkistan and is believed to be living in bonn west germany with his west german wife according to mum chu nazar is retired from active service with the cia although the cia and the u.s government are saying nothing for many obvious reasons the cia absolutely has to know things about a jaw of its own accord which nobody else knows mum choose said concerning nazar's ties with turkish right wing circles mum chu said quote in a letter to mhp national movement party leader al parshlan turkish that's the photo we looked at in the 1944 pro german demonstrations a letter that i have seen a friend of nazar enver al talai wrote about nazar's influence in right-wing turkish turkish student groups in west germany said nazar's cia links have been verified by a turkish general who maintained close contact with nazar nazar was in close contact with the mhp leader at the same time that ajah and said so according to the top turkish

expert on terrorism an ethnic turk born in the soviet union captured by the germans who then fought against the soviet union during world war ii as part of the there's one of these turks who fought with the vermont then jumps to cia after the war is apparently very close to al parshlan turkish head of the fascist national action party and again a man as we saw who was arrested in 1944 while attempting to persuade turkey to come into the war on the side of germany and to show you just what uh rusi nazar is doing today niptalk is going to read you a short section from a new village voice just this short section this one here okay unless you want to read the rest of it well i think time wise we can probably get back to that other stuff later we've talked about a lot of it let me just read you a very short segment from this village voice article for the uh the newspaper uh week of uh december 31st 1985 we've mentioned this article before it's an excellent article on some of the latest developments on the

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of the latest developments on the assassination of the pope and the beginnings of the crumbling of the bulgarian story and the uh the revealing of the stuff that we've been talking about all along which is the involvement of numerous right-wing groups in this attempt on the life of the pope back in 1981 anyway just a short segment to let you know one of the things that rosie nazar who dave was just reading you about is up to these days uh a friend and uh and colleague of many of ma'am and ali ajah they would be assassins uh friends and colleagues in the article again by uh kevin coogan and martin lee i believe if i've got the right article uh it says rusi nazar a friend of nap chief colonel turkish again the same all partial enter cash we're talking about earlier continues to play a leading role in the abn this september nazar represented the abn at the world anti-communist league convention in dallas so whackle delegate rusi lagar lazarus rusi nazar intimate of the uh the circle surrounding mehmed aliyah so as i mentioned not only do they kill people all over the rest of the world jews in uh in russia and eastern europe and uh communists and and democrats in latin america and uh just about everybody in in korea and japan and china during world war ii but they also shoot popes and these are the people whom as i said ronald reagan said god bless you go and do your work so a couple of sentences just by way of overall summation what we've been doing tonight is again examining wacko as sort of an anti-common turn as the continuation and or reformation of the same fascist elements we saw with the axis powers during world war ii what we've been looking at are looking at the four major groupings of lack of north and south america europe and eurasia and that basically concludes the excerpt from radio free america 14 once again originally broadcast in january in that particular broadcast we took a look at that is to say that segment of radio free america 14. we took a look at the history of attempts by western nations to break up the soviet union

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nations to break up the soviet union into its constituent republics and in particular we focused on elements which were to combine in a very effective way with the anti-bolshevik block of nations noted ted or oberlander his work not only with turkic nationalities but also with the oun people uh in particular at the level massacre using the noctgal group the nightingale group which involved people from the oun the elements of historical continuity dating from the pre-world war ii period all the way up through the administration of ronald reagan uh by the way it should also be noted that rusi nazar the member of the national action party in abn was in the ss during the second world war we went into that in radio free america program number 21. so note the historical continuity of the attempts to break up the soviet union into its constituent nationalities dating from pre-world war two right and up through world war ii and nazi collaboration on up to the cia and the abn and these are elements obviously which figure prominently in the ongoing destabilization of the ussr and things that we have been talking about in the previous installments we will talk about eastern europe and other events next week and wind up this series next week this once again will constitute radio free america number 36 it's time now to give a rundown of what it is that we're going to be listening to during the final installment this the fifth installment of the ongoing or the archive show that i've been putting together for now a little over a month it's called the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world

war three and it is going to be included in the archives as radio free america program number 33. and this is the fifth installment we will be talking a little bit tonight about the soviet union and uh but mostly we will be talking about what is going on in eastern europe and there are some very very disturbing things uh going on in that part of the world we're going to begin by once again talking about an organization called the free congress foundation this is an organization put

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foundation this is an organization put together by paul wyrick one of the linchpins of the american far right and we talked about that organization in conjunction with its activities in particular political organizing inside the soviet union uh the most notable connections there being some very uh serious connections between paul wyrick and the free congress foundation which in turn is being utilized by the national endowment for democracy and the organization and political structure behind boris yeltsin notably a communist party organ called the irg put together by among others andre sakharov there are very strong connections between yeltsin and the free congress foundation and the free congress foundation is uh has taken credit for much of the political success enjoyed by boris yeltsin so far we are going to take a look at the free congress foundation and uh once again we're going to be taking a look at some information from covert action information bulletin number 35 and specifically we're going to be talking about what the free congress foundation is doing in other areas of eastern europe and uh that will be the first item that we will be talking about and this by way of bridging some of the activities that we've looked at in the soviet union and showing that uh basically uh what's going around for the soviet union has been coming around for eastern europe as well we will be taking a look at free congress foundation activities and among other countries budapest of hungary uh we will take a look at their organizing in east germany romania czechoslovakia yugoslavia and bulgaria as well all of that again coming from the article in covert action information bullet number 35 i will tell you more about that article and that publication when we get to the main body of the broadcast following that we're going to be taking a look at another very important article in that very same very important issue of covert action information bulletin this article is called balkan nationalists peddling fascism it's co-authored by howard golden fall and russ bellant uh russ balanthi co-author of the article about the free congress foundation as well uh

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the free congress foundation as well uh this talks about the return of a number of fascist elements to eastern europe largely courtesy of activities on the part of the west notably the united states and canada in this instance we will talk about some canadian connections here to fascist organizations and elements in eastern europe and uh there it's interesting here that uh many of the organizations that are discussed in this article are also organizations that have had contact with the free congress foundation and some of its forays into eastern europe and the soviet union we're going to be taking a look at the return of the romanian iron guard a brutal fascist institution in romania which collaborated enthusiastically with the nazis it's something that we looked at in radio free america program number two we also came we touched back on it in a miscellaneous archive show called nazis and anti-semites on george bush's campaign we're going to take a look at iron guard connections and activities uh which are basically uh ongoing in romania notably the national christian peasants party an organization which is heavily influenced by the iron guard and we will be talking about both in this particular article and also in another article uh from newsweek of may of 1990 which talks about the rise of anti-semitism in eastern europe we will be talking also about fascist activities in in czechoslovakia we're going to be taking a look at the slovakian exile movement something which is uh reviving today under vaclav havel and in particular we're going to take a look at the uh remnants of the linca party hlinka that was the fascist collaborationist party in czechoslovakia or actually slovakia under nazi domination during world war ii and we're going to take a look at the slovakia slovak world congress an organization which in many ways is carrying on the traditions of the linca party and which features many of the lincoln party's key functionaries in prominent positions that organization unfortunately has some very direct ties

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unfortunately has some very direct ties to the vaclav havel government which is now experiencing uh considerable dislocation as a result of the activities of some of these individuals if the vaclav havel goes under or if czechoslovakia gets split up by the act actions of these fascists uh it seems to me that havel has nobody to blame but himself when you lie with the dogs you rise with the fleas as someone once said and certainly uh back bob havel has been lying with the dogs we're also going to take a look at great length this evening uh for a short period of time in this particular article the balkan nationalists peddling fascism uh at activities going on in croatia and yugoslavia we're going to be taking a look at some ustashi elements that uh movement was the brutal uh fascist movement in independent croatia under the nazis uh under nazi domination in world war ii uh that organization even outdid the romanian iron guard in their savagery and like so many fascist and nazi elements they regrouped in the west after the war largely as a result of sponsorship by the us national security establishment they are now very active inside croatia we'll review uh some activities of the ou n which we looked at at considerable length last week and talked about also the week before that uh by way of touching back on activities in the soviet union we will take a look at our activities in the soviet union under the auspices of uh the well the abn the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations that we looked at and uh we will be taking a look at some connections between the free congress foundation and uh o u n at o u n related elements operating in the ukraine we will also touch on the hungarian arrow cross movement and residual elements which are active today in hungary they are mentioned in this particular article uh balkan nationalists peddling fascism we will come back to uh the aerocross and hungarian fascism and anti-semitism in the newsweek article of may 7th of 1990 as well we're also going to be

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1990 as well we're also going to be taking a look at the activities of fascist elements in latvia one of the baltic states and we took a look at uh the reintroduction of fascist elements into lithuania in the very first installment of this program and i uh expressed my view at that time that in conjunction with the u.s gulf war uh the destabilization of the baltic states and the attempts by the baltic states to secede from the soviet union uh in effect represented in essence represented a flanking maneuver both against the soviet southern and northern flanks and i suspect that if in fact the baltic republics continue to proceed down the path to secession that will provoke a militant response on the part of the soviet national security establishment a response which i believe elements of our own national national security establishment would uh very very very much like to see and which i think they are in fact working to provoke we will also be taking a look at as i said at an article that we looked at part of a couple of weeks ago it's called the long shadow it's from newsweek of may 7th of 1990 and there is some very disturbing information that the activities of organizations like the free congress foundation and some of their fascist contacts and uh collaborators in eastern europe are in fact reviving exactly the same kinds of abuses which took place in that part of the world during the second world during and uh prior to the second world war it should of course be born in mind that the access consisted not just of japan germany and italy but also hungary bulgaria and romania fought on the side of the axis in the second world war we'll be taking a look at activities in those countries which are sadly reminiscent of what took place during the second world war in this very disturbing article from newsweek of may 7th of 1990 we're then going to take a look at a very we have a very disturbing uh series of events currently taking place in yugoslavia and what we're going to be looking at in yugoslavia is uh

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looking at in yugoslavia is uh the croatian secessionist movement the residual lusty movement there are a lot of things going on in yugoslavia at the moment yugoslavia is a relatively recent nation and there have always been fierce rivalries among the various ethnic nationalities in that country and certainly the activities of the ustashi the croatian fascists which survived world war ii largely under the auspices of organizations like the cia the world anti-

communist league and other organizations now uh the world anti-communist league is called the world league for freedom and democracy but it's basically the same old thing and it smells the same old way it does the same old things and uh we will be taking a look by way of uh focusing in on a microcosm of what is going on elsewhere in eastern europe we will be taking a very close look at what's going on in croatia today as i said one should not oversimplify what is going on either in croatia or in the soviet union or elsewhere in eastern europe uh the bitter ethnic hostilities that exist there uh predate the cold war and uh could not be said by any stretch of the imagination to be due exclusively to the cold war they predate it uh it should also be noted though that one of the major mo's of our intelligence system and the us national security establishment for many years has been to destabilize countries and overthrow them by promoting traditional ethnic hostilities within those nations within the targeted nation there are very disturbing indications that uh some of the stocky activities going on in croatia have been aided and embedded by elements of our own national security establishment and we will be taking a look at some of those uh in the last installment of the program which is will be titled return of the eustachian we're going to take a look in particular at the bitterness that exists between serbs and croats two of the dominant nationalities inside yugoslavia and the hostility between the serbs and the croats the re-flaring up uh the resurgence of that hostility is one of the major factors in the destabilization

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the major factors in the destabilization of yugoslavia today uh it is questionable whether yugoslavia is even going to be able to withstand these tensions and whether it's going to remain one nation or dissolve we're going to take a look at the resurgence of the ustashi the resurgence of the bitterness and fear that they provoked among serbs and we're going to take a look back in history at exactly what the ustashi were why their resurgence has provoked the enormous fear in the serbian community in yugoslavia we're going to take a look at a fella named andre artucovich known as the himmler of the balkans he was the minister of the interior under the fascist independent state of croatia and we'll take a look at the enthusiastic slaughter that he promoted in uh croatia during the second world war that will come from a book called wanted the search for nazis in america by howard bloom then we're going to take a look at some information from a book called inside the league about the former world anti-communist league now again the league for the world league for freedom and democracy we're going to take a look at how the eustachian the brutal croatian fascists survived the second world war and how they continue to operate around the world today in particular in the united states we will take a look at the second generation of ustashi because there is a second generation they have come back and uh like all good fascists they have raised their young uh at their uh according to their creed there was a whole new generation of mustache and we will be taking a look at the second generation of ustashi which now infect the world and we in particular we're going to take a look at an element which links events right here at home with what is going on today in croatia we will be concluding our look at inside the league by talking about the april 10th celebration that is a celebration conducted by the ustashi which uh celebrates the founding of the independent state of croatia under nazi domination during world war ii it is viewed with great horror and mourning by other peoples in yugoslavia because that was the beginning of the holocaust that we will take a look at in the

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we will take a look at in the information from one of the search for nazis in america uh the ustashi celebrate the april 10th holiday and they have been very successful in getting elements of the some of the more reactionary elements of the republican party to support them in the celebration of april 10th and we will then take a look at an ominous note right here at home in the plastic fantastic silicon valley for those of you who eventually hear this program by tape i produce and record these programs in the silicon valley as it is known these programs originate from los altos hills which is a very close to san jose and in another station another non-commercial radio station that i work at kkupfm there was a fellow for many years ran a thing called the croatian radio hour and ultimately his demise as a

broadcaster came when he uh went into a discussion of the april 10th holiday and the why it is celebrated and a brutal misrepresentation of world history which you will have a chance to hear in april of 1989 this individual that his name was anta yakovchevich uh went on the air on kkup and uh went on at some length about april 10th and talked about how the germans were being involved this is the day when we celebrate when the germans were invited into yugoslavia they were not invited into yugoslavia any more than they were invited into holland or belgium or france or the soviet union or norway or denmark or any of the other places that they wound up socializing in and uh it's worth noting that uh this particular individual was able to hold forth for the better part of five years on kkup which is a nice liberal radio station at least in theory and it's a member of the national federation of community broadcasters and it's also worth noting that the same individual is now in croatia and functioning in an official capacity for the uh croatian government i don't know whether he is a political official or whether he's a member of the croatian militia which has been formed but uh there we will actually have a chance to hear a link between what is what has transpired in

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between what is what has transpired in the united states in recent uh recent years and what is going on in croatia an actual living link between the return of the ustashi in croatia and the sponsorship of the ustashi and other fascist elements by the united states and in the united states that's what we have on top of this evening so pull up a chair in here because we have a lot to listen to and a lot to talk about this evening none of it for unfortunately very pleasant but all of it very necessary and after another musical break we will launch into the main party of uh main body of tonight's broadcast the final installment of radio free america 36 the destabilization of the ussr on eastern europe a prelude to world war iii this is the fifth and a final installment of what has evolved now into radio free america program number 36 the destabilization of the ussr and eastern europe a prelude to world war three it is not my belief that the people involved in what i see is the destabilization of the soviet union want a third world war but it is my fear that it could result in a third world war rather maybe will be a miscalculation of some kind it's also possible there's one more article from this current issue of covert action information bulletin that i'm thinking about including so i may actually do one more short installment of this next week this might be the last installment but we will see i have to reflect on that a little bit further we may have a little bit more for this particular broadcast in any event we are for the most part now going to move from the soviet union and what is going on there to eastern europe and by way of bridging what is going on in the soviet union and eastern europe uh we are going to take a look once again at the organization called the free congress foundation and i am going to review uh sections of a very important article one of many very important articles in the current uh issue or the latest issue of covert action information bulletin this is from covert action information bulletins

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covert action information bulletins number 35 from the fall of 1990 you can obtain covert action information bulletin from the following address covert action information bulletin po box 34583 box 34583 washington dc four three once again covert action information bulletin p o box three four five eight three washington dc two zero zero four three that's the address for covert action information bulletin and once again we are going to reread parts of an article called the free congress foundation goes east and this is co-authored by russ belant and lewis wolfe lewis wolfe is one of the co-editors of covert action information bulletin and by way of reviewing just what the free congress foundation is we're going to re first to read the the introductory part of the the first part of this particular article and then we are going to move from fcf activities in the soviet union which we have already looked about looked at to fcf activities in eastern europe reading now the free congress foundation goes east by russ bellant lewis wolfe from covert action information bullet number 35 the fall of 1990 with the rapid pace of political change sweeping eastern europe and the union of soviet socialist republics many opportunities have emerged for western interests to intervene in the politics of that region in some cases such a vacuum has been created that virtual

strangers to the area several years ago are now able to actively participate in changing those societies from within these interventions are not only being practiced by mainstream organizations the involvement of the united states far right brings with it the potential revival of fascist organizations in the east one u.s group the free congress foundation has been playing a role in eastern europe and soviet politics and has ties to boris yeltsin and the inter-regional deputies group or irg in the ussr the free congress foundation or fcf was founded in 1974 by paul wyrick

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was founded in 1974 by paul wyrick w-e-y-r-i-c-h as the committee for the survival of a free congress wyrick who had started the heritage foundation the year before was heavily funded by the coors family for both organizations ryric has kept one foot in the right wing of the republican party while dallying with the racist right in the extreme christian right in 1976 for instance he and a handful of other new writers william rusher morton blackwell and richard vigory attempted to take over the segregationist american independent party or aip formed by george wallace in 1968 the aip was an amalgam of ku klux klan and john birch society elements in 1982 wyrick published an essay in which he stated quote culturally destructive government policies racial hiring quotas and bussing come to mind as examples are to the new right more immediately important in the realm of action since the damage they can do is enormous and practically irremediable this apparent defense of white culture quote unquote is dangerously close to the theories advocated by white supremacists today fcf's direct involvement in eastern europe began about a year ago at the urging of one of its directors robert kriebel k-r-i-e-b-l-e a retired connecticut businessman his krebel foundation backed efforts in late 1989 to send wyrick and four associates to hungary and the soviet union including estonia to help train right-wing leaders in ideological and electoral matters wyrick stated upon his return that his visit to moscow was quote the most incredible experience of our lives unquote there he worked with the irg of the supreme soviet a leadership body of the communist party he says that they were unequivocally in favor of private property a market economy and the restoration of religion we've talked about fcf and some of its connections to the ou and the upa and rather than focusing on its activities in the soviet union which we have already covered at considerable length in the third installment of this particular broadcast we're going to focus now on free congress foundation activities in other parts of

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activities in other parts of the former soviet bloc namely eastern europe skipping down in this particular article we find uh the following free congress foundation activities the list here of various free congress foundation activities covers activities in the period the year 1989 through 1990 the land and wolven in 1989 to 90 the fcf conducted training programs in and the list then follows budapest hungary november of 1989 free congress foundation representatives trained leaders of the hungarian new democratic forum the small holders party and the christian democratic party free congress credits itself with enabling the three parties to gain 231 out of 386 seats in the hungarian parliament and bear in mind the new democratic forum or democratic forum as it's also known uh we're going to take a look at that forum and uh it would appear just like the world anti-communist league which is kind of has connecting elements to it it is anything but democratic but bear in mind here the free congress foundation activities in hungary in particular fc with the uh rereading the sentence fcf representatives trained leaders of the hungarian new democratic forum the small holders party in the christian democratic party and they credit uh the pre-congress credits itself with enabling the three parties to gain 231 of 386 seats in the hungarian parliament in particular as i said bear in mind the new democratic forum or democratic forum as it's also called we will be coming back to that later in the program skipping down in this section of the article leipzig east germany february of 1990 fcf representatives met with two conservative groups that were part of an anti-left alliance the democratic awakening party and the democratic social union their discussions focused on quote american political techniques unquote for application during the march 1990 elections when fcf's people saw how cheap postage was in east germany they decided on the spot to teach their students the techniques of u.s style direct mail campaigning quote our

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direct mail campaigning quote our contacts in east germany have since indicated that the advice of the foundation was in their opinion beneficial to the unexpected success they achieved in their elections unquote in september fcf hosted a small group of east german opposition figures in washington and is planning another meeting in germany in january bucharest romania march of 1990 some 80 members of more than a dozen opposition groups were given a four-day seminar on the political skills to win elections unquote and again quoting free enterprise and the need for entrepreneurship unquote participants were from the national peasants party remember that because we're going to come back to that also participants were from the national peasants party free students union of the polytechnical university the students league human rights league national liberal party national salvation front and christian social democratic party only a month prior to this meeting the fcf opened a quote field office in romania to develop new contacts and again and when we come back to activities going on in romania berenmon the national peasants party that's a key organization which has proved to be a uh conduit or a a vehicle for a residual elements of the fascist iron guard in romania one of the organizations also connected with the national peasants party continuing here with wolf and balance chronicle zagreb yugoslavia april of 1990 in the croatian capital of zagreb z-a-g-r-e-b fcf staffers met with members of the croatian democratic union for discussions in quote political techniques governing and building relationships between the regional and federal governments the group strongly requested quote unquote that the free congress people return to convene a conference on governing to include croatians slovenes serbs montenegrians and other ethnic groups and we will be coming back in a big way to activities going on in croatia and yugoslavia later in the program prague czechoslovakia april of 1990 from

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prague czechoslovakia april of 1990 from zagreb the same fcf team moved to prague to convene a conference on techniques strategies goals and objectives in elections and on quote the establishment of democratic institutions unquote attending the conference were some 50 persons representing dissident groups such as the civic forum public against violence a parallel organization to the civic forum in slovakia christian democratic movement christian democratic union social democrats republican party of czechoslovakia pan-europe union democratic initiative and people for active european federation a follow-up training program in the country was organized in july and skipping down sophia bulgaria august 1990 paul weirich and other fcf staff together with robert kriebel and detroit businessman don fisher met with approximately one third of the opposition members in the parliament the meeting was attended by dimitar lujev chief political adviser to president jelius gialev those two men's last names lujeb is l-o-u-d-j-e-v and jealous is z-h-e-l-e-b reviewing more now about the free congress foundation uh just like the world league for freedom and democracy or the national endowment for democracy this organization cloaks itself in uh democratic camouflage however its real goals and antecedents would appear to be much more sinister and for all of the uh use of the word democracy and for all their advocacy of free elections democracy and so forth in fact uh it would appear from the underpinnings of the organization that uh democracy is not something the free congress foundation is overly enamored of or certainly it's something that they are willing to uh compromise with uh they're willing to compromise to an enormous extent [Applause] reviewing again some information about uh the free congress foundation courtesy of balant and wolf those seeking guidance from the fcf for a quote religious and moral rebirth unquote would be well advised to consider the company that fcf keeps the free congress foundation is generally identified with the secular

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generally identified with the secular new right rather than the religious new right but in fact it melds both currents of rightist activity although structurally one organization fcf could be seen as a dozen semi-independent groups housed in one office complex and with one boss the fcf divides many of its activities into centers there are centers for

government and politics law and democracy cultural conservatism state policy conservative governance child and family policy foreign policy transportation policy catholic policy and the new freedom and democracy in the fcf's 1988 annual report the center for catholic policy states quote the public policy influence and activity of the catholic church in america often runs counter to the interests of catholic laity the center for catholic policy seeks to instruct conservative catholic laity on how to become influential in shaping public policy stands taken by the church unquote the fcf report says that a quote network of some forty national catholic organizations institutions and publications which share a generally conservative viewpoint unquote was formed by fcf in january of 1988 and called the siena group capital s-i-e-n-a according to the fcf among the top priorities of the siena group in 1988 was mobilizing opposition to a u.s catholic conference statement on aids policy which was favorable to the objectives of the gay and lesbian rights movement siena group participants convinced the bishops to set aside the aids document and finally we should bear in mind too that uh their liberation support alliance that is to say free the free congress foundation's liberation support alliance was headed up the in the east by a fellow named laszlo pastor i was headed up basically by author named laszlo pastor l-a-s-z-l-o-p-a-s-z-t-o-r who as we've seen was a member of the fascist hungarian arrow cross and a key functionary both with the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations as well as the fcf and uh with people like that and with associations and views like that uh free congress foundation is an organization that is frankly not to be viewed as

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that is frankly not to be viewed as something uh involved with democracy it appears that uh from their views and associations that democracy is something they're not real crazy about and something that in fact they appear to be working against at least to a certain extent there is another very important article and again we're uh taking we've taken a look at uh free congress foundation inside the soviet union it's worth bearing in mind all the other places that they have been operating bear in mind romania and the national peasants party or national christians peasants party as we're going to see it has been renamed uh bear in mind also the democratic forum or new democratic forum in hungary that they worked with and we're going to take a look at how some of these organizations have affected some of the countries and the societies that they are operating in and we're going to take a look at some of the residual fascist elements operating under their banners as well another very important article in this very same issue of covert action information bullet namely issued number 35 uh is called entitled i should say balkan nationalists peddling fascism once again balkan nationalists peddling fascism it's co-authored by howard goldenthal d-g-o-l-d-e-n-t-h-a-l and russ bellant p-e-l-l-a-n-t the co-author of the free congress foundation article that we just reviewed part of and we're going to take a look now at uh western imports of fascism into eastern europe and uh this is a pattern that we have looked at for many years on this broadcast the chief organs that we have looked at in this connection are first of all of course the galen spy organization that is the espionage organization put together by reinhard galen last name g-e-h-l-e-n galen mccall was hitler's chief of intelligence for the eastern front during world war ii uh he then jumped first to the cia then nato and ultimately uh germany and kept his organization intact uh his organization the former nazi eastern front intelligence organization and involving thousands of ss and gestapo veterans many of them were criminals that organization became the cia's department of russian and

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the cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs then became the de facto nato intelligence organization and ultimately the bnd the bundesliga deans the german intelligence service which it is to this day with some of the junior members during the world war ii period people in their early 20s uh now serving in senior positions uh and they're now in the the same generation as uh george bush they're in the late 60s and early 70s the other organization of course is the world anti-communist league in the anti-bolshevik block of nations in particular an organization which is inextricably linked with the galen organization and which has for some time maintained as its foreign policy not only the rollback quote-unquote of communism from eastern europe which has now happened but also the

breakup of the soviet union into its constituent nationalist republics that is something which may take place although as i have said in earlier installments of this uh series uh my feeling is that that will simply result in a crackdown by the soviet national security establishment a crackdown that i think would be very much welcomed since it would restart the cold war i think our military and our defense industries would very much like to see something like that uh take place i think uh the germans and japanese would also like to see that take place because it would keep the united states from becoming competitive which it really no longer is although we had been so dominant in world trade that we have not been completely overtaken by the japanese and germans uh they're rapidly are rapidly moving ahead of us in critical areas and unless we reverse the trends of the last 10 years or really more than 10 years of wasting all of our capital uh resources as well as many of our r d brains on the military we are not going to be competitive but uh bear in mind as i said the galen organization and the abn those are two of the main vehicles for people for the west to import fascist elements into eastern europe and the soviet union and to utilize those fascist elements we are going to be taking a look at some of these elements some of these organizations now in this particular article and in particular we'll be taking a look at romanian and american importing of fascists in the eastern europe and uh obviously some of the organizations involved here intersect

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organizations involved here intersect with the free congress foundation and we will see how some of the organizations at the free congress foundation have been working with are in fact anything but democratic once again balkan nationalists peddling fascism by howard golden fall and russ belant golden fall rights for the toronto-based weekly news magazine now and balance work blunt works with political research associates in cambridge massachusetts the first section of the article we're going to look at involves what is going on in romania the article begins in the hyperbole accompanying the political transformation in europe some ugly side effects have been overlooked right-wing political activity reminiscent of the early part of the century is finding an audience again and the first section here is called iron guard redux in romania in last march moises rosen rosen romania's chief rabbi traveled to washington with an urgent request in the romanian city of turgo mures t-i-r-g-u-m-u-r-e-s programs were being directed against the hungarian minority six hungarians had been killed rosen asked the state department to prevent the exit from the us of romanian exiles who were returning home to ferment old hatreds hatreds typified by the iron guard to older romanians and study and students of european history the legacy of the iron guard is truly grotesque its members were responsible for violence so savage that they repeatedly offended that they repeatedly offended the nazis excuse me repeating the last sentence its members were responsible for violence so savage that they reputedly offended the nazis forty-five years later young tufts describing themselves as iron guardists were taking credit for the murders in turku muresh according to kasimir ianescu ion escu then vice president for the socialist national salvation front an iron guard propaganda campaign had been underway since the december overthrow of shoshesku at the time of the turgumuresh violence interim president petre roman roman expelled three romanian canadians for promoting fascist ideas

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promoting fascist ideas one of those expelled was george balasu b-e-l-a-s-u well-known in the romanian community in the west as editor of the pro iron guard romanian voice the hamilton ontario-based paper supports valerian trifa trifa head of a faction of the romanian orthodox church dominated by iron guardists trifa fled the us in 1984 after the justice department's office of special investigations found evidence implicating him in a bucharest program in 1941. good press is not the only support such groups are receiving from the west vatra romanesca r-o-m-a-n-e-s-c-a an extreme right organization including iron guardists recently boasted it had financial backing from quote influential political figures at home and several more or less clandestine organizations abroad particularly french and canadian ones unquote iron guardists are also part of the leadership of the national christian peasants party the ncpp is very virulently nativist and anti-semitic and has been linked to violence against hungarian farmers now bear in mind in

the article dealing with the free congress foundation the national peasants party or national christian peasants party it is as it has been renamed is one of the organizations that the free congress foundation was working with in romania some key points to highlight in this particular article it should be noted that the romanian iron guard was as indicated here a brutal fascist organization which collaborated enthusiastically with the nazis and uh was the organization which dominated fascist romania romania recall was one of the the axis nations along with uh the big three germany japan and italy there was also hungary romania and bulgaria and it should be noted again that the romanian iron guard was the dominant fascist party in romania and like all good fascists so many of the romanian goddess then regrouped in the united states under the auspices of

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the united states under the auspices of the galen organization and the organizations like the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations the iron guard was covered extensively in the last section of radio free america program number two the hidden history of the cold war looking back from 1984 the hidden history of the cold war part two that program was done in may of 1984 and in that broadcast we took a look at a couple of people the aforementioned valerian trifa and also a fellow named nikolai malaksa valerian trifa now head of the romanian american orthodox or for many years the head of the romanian american orthodox episcopate uh was a fellow who had worked for the galen organization he was the fellow who was responsible for the bloody pogrom in bucharest in 1941 that uh is alluded to here we described that program at considerable length in radio free america program number two it's worth noting that in addition to working for the galen organization and finding a safe haven in the united states valerian trifo was invited by then vice president richard nixon to give the opening convocation the opening prayer before the united states senate in nineteen fifty five that appears to have been anything but uh an accidental or uh isolated incident on the part of richard nixon because nixon was heavily involved with the chief financier of the iron guard a fellow named nikolai malaksa malaksa was the fellow who key industrialist in romania who put up much of the capital to ferment the iron guards ascension to power and also was heavily involved in defense manufacturing for the iron guard during the second world war he also found a safe haven in the united states chiefly as a result of the efforts of largely as a result of the efforts of richard nixon richard nixon introduced many bills on behalf of a phony company that are a front company i really should say that uh maloksa was involved in that company was called western tube and what it basically was uh created for was to put together steel tubing and uh during the korean war the bills were introduced by richard nixon uh encouraging that

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by richard nixon uh encouraging that nikolai malaksa be allowed to stay in the united states because of the importance to the war effort of western tube in fact the mailing address for western tube was the law office of richard nixon's law firm bewley crouppen nixon uh in whittier california at that time so it uh is questionable just exactly how much manufacturing western tube was able to do what is not open to question is the fact that richard nixon was a very key supporter of nikolai maloksa and as i said the mailing address for western tube was the whittier law office of richard nixon and again that's information was covered in radio free america program number two and in fact that comes from the book wanted to search for nazis in america by howard bloom that we will be going into uh to a certain extent later on in the broadcast so bear in mind the national christian peasants party one of the organizations that has served as a resting place and a further vehicle for the fascist romanian iron guard and bear in mind its links to the free congress foundation that we looked at we will hear about uh the national christian peasants party and their anti-semitism and some of their current activities later on in the broadcast it's worth noting that uh there has been a return to uh fascist activity in czechoslovakia as well just as the anti-bolshevik block of nations has advocated the breakup of the soviet union and has supported croatian separatists in the ustashi uh so the slovakian separatists who had a separate state in uh what had been czechoslovakia during its nazi occupation under a fellow named reverend joseph tiso well the slovakian separatists inextricably linked with fascism and the history of fascism

in czechoslovakia are also fueling their oaths and have become very active in czechoslovakia as well reading now from the new york times of march 15th of 1991 this is a reuters story dateline bratislava czechoslovakia and it's headlined slovak separatists

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and it's headlined slovak separatists shout abuse at havel and it reads in part as follows hundreds of angry slovak nationalists rushed president vaclav havel and screamed abuse at him today during a demonstration for slovak independence mr howell paid a brief visit to the slovak capitol to urge the nationalists celebrating the 52nd anniversary of the declaration of a separate state not to secede from czechoslovakia emotions were high as he made an unscheduled walk through the city center to slovak national uprising square where more than five thousand flag waving nationalists were gathered hundreds split off from the rally to hurl abuse at mister havel go back to prague judas they shouted mr havel well protected by bodyguards was untouched in the crush but several scuffles broke out between nationalists and mr hobble supporters and a car in the presidential motorcade waiting at the end of his quick walk was kicked and punched by enraged demonstrators who called mr hobble's appearance a provocation skipping down the rally today repeated a call to declare the state sovereignty of slovakia a move which would break up the czechoslovak federation mr hobble condemned the proposed declaration as a means to force independence by unconstitutional means the demonstrators heard a tape recording of the declaration of an independent slovak state made by the reverend joseph attiso tiso on march 14 1939 slovakia became a separate republic in 1939 after nazi germany dismembered czechoslovakia and took over the czech parts bohemia and moravia as a german protectorate father tiso presided over the slovak state which was allied to the nazis until nineteen forty five he was hanged as a war criminal two years later so while the ghost of reverend tiso is currently haunting uh political activity in czechoslovakia it's worth noting again that the czechoslovak uh separatists here or the slovak separatists excuse me uh i heard

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slovak separatists excuse me uh i heard a speech the independent speech made by reverend t cell the nazi uh collaborator uh on march 14th of 1939. it's also worth noting that uh the slovak separatists received vatican support just like the ustashi received we covered uh vatican support for the eustachian radio free america program number 17 entitled fascism and the vatican and uh we're now going to go into the uh ethnic uh rivalries in czechoslovakia in particular the fascist history of the slovakian exile movement and it's worth noting that vaclav havel is now receiving uh the censure of these individuals uh if in fact this these activities continue if czechoslovakia breaks up it seems to me that vaclav havel has nobody to blame but himself because he's been playing footsie with these very same elements returning now to the article by howard goldenthal and russ bellant balkan nationalists peddling fascism and this section of the article is entitled ethnic separatism returns to czechoslovakia slovakian exiles in canada are playing a key role in trying to bring about a separate slovak republic modeled on the one formed in march of 1939 by the extreme right cleric and nazi collaborator joseph tiso tiso oversaw the transportation of thousands of slovak jews to german death camps he was executed in 1947 by the non-communist government of edward benich benes some of tiso's friends were more fortunate assisted by the vatican and u.s and british intelligence many former officials of the collaborationist linca party were smuggled west and quietly renewed their political activities link is hl inka in 1971 uranium magnet steve roman roman formed the slovak world congress in toronto with the help of linca collaborators like ferdinand durkonsky d-u-r-c-a-n-s-k-y the nazi foreign minister sentenced to death for treason and his underlying

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role as secretary general of the party the vatican has maintained its close connections with the link up front group in 1984 while on a visit to canada pope john paul ii took time out of his busy schedule to visit roman's cathedral located just outside of toronto roman died in 1988. last march reverend dusan toth d-u-s-a-n-t-o-t-h secretary general of the slovak world congress addressed a crowd of nearly a hundred thousand supporters in bratislava tal former head of protestant religious programming for radio free europe found righteous separatism still a potent force in slovakia elsewhere toth's message and activities would be considered a threat to national security but last february toth was appointed a member of a group of foreign advisers to president vaclav havel that last couple of sentences again last march reverend dusan toth t-o-t-h secretary general of the slovak world congress addressed a crowd of nearly a hundred thousand supporters in bratislava toth former head of protestant religious programming for radio free europe found rightist separatism still a potent force in slovakia elsewhere toth's message and activities would be considered a threat to national security but last february toth was appointed a member of a group of foreign advisers to president vaclav havel last may alexander dubcek d-u-b-c-e-k havel's vice president visited toronto and attended a meeting of the slovak world congress dubcek a slovak is best known as the leader of czechoslovakia's prague spring in 1968 dubcek's liberalization program was smashed when moscow ordered troops into prague and the government was overthrown number of key points to highlight in this particular article first and foremost it's worth noting that the slovak world congress basically is a vehicle for the perpetuation of the

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vehicle for the perpetuation of the fascist slovakian uh linca party which collaborated with the nazis against the lincoln party was the uh body just like the eustachian yugoslavia that were in croatia that we're going to look at later uh that was used by the nazis to dominate uh this particular part of their empire and it's worth noting that steve roman founded the slovak world congress in toronto with the help of two key figures one again ferdinand durkansky the nazi foreign minister sentenced to death for treason and one of his associates joseph kirschbaum who is also on the run from a 20-year sentence for his role as secretary general of the lincoln party the vatican has maintained good relations with this organization and it's worth noting too that reverend dusan toth secretary general of the slovak world congress has basically been appointed a foreign adviser to president vaclav havel formally he was head of protestant religious programming for radio free europe an organization basically founded by reinhard galen we went into galen's role in founding radio free europe uh in although he worked very closely with frank wisner we covered that in radio free america program number three and it's worth noting here that uh black ops havel has basically been playing footsie with these uh very individuals who now so enraged at him and we should not forget also that alexander dubcek his vice president attended a meeting of the slovak world congress basically a front organization for the lincoln party uh and uh it's also worth wondering about exactly uh whether dubcek is the liberal and the democrat that he is represented as being is not a person i know that much about uh it was very tragic when the liberalization program he introduced in czechoslovakia was crushed it's worth noting too that one of reinhard galen's last acts as the official head of the bnd before he retired although he continued to be very active with bnd one of his last official acts was to predict to the hour the soviet invasion of czechoslovakia one wonders how much he might have had to do

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wonders how much he might have had to do with provoking that very same invasion again i don't know very much about alexander dubcek but i think his willingness to rub elbows with the slovak world congress is something that's worth looking into one of the questions i have about the soviet invasion of czechoslovakia as whether uh elements like the slovak world congress well it would not have been in existence in 68 but whether former linca elements or people associated with it were infiltrated into czechoslovakia or were in czechoslovakia to begin with and were elevated to a position of power in order to provoke just exactly such a crackdown it is one of my theories that among the major roles intended for the fascists being reintroduced into lithuania the ou n and other fascist elements that are

being uh elevated in the soviet union largely as a the result of the activities of organizations like the free congress foundation it's worth noting here that uh i one of the one of the goals i believe to of infiltrating those people into the soviet union and uh boosting them to prominence is to provoke a crackdown with the tremendous loss of life and suffering that the ussr experienced during the second world war uh the re-ascendance of fascists and nazi collaborators is not something that's going to be viewed lightly and the sort of heavy-handed crackdown that we saw in czechoslovakia is something which might be repeated uh at some point in the not-too-distant future quite possibly inside the soviet union uh certainly it is uh inconceivable that they would continue to not inconceivable but it would be remarkable if they continue to tolerate the presence of this type of individual in these types of activities uh i would bet at some point i don't know when but i would be willing to bet at some point there will be a crackdown on probably a pretty heavy and brutal one under the circumstances one wonders to what extent that may actually be the goal of the people who are infiltrating and elevating individuals and institutions like this returning once again to this particular article balkan nationalists peddling fascism we're now going to take a look

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fascism we're now going to take a look at the croatian ustashi the croatian nazi collaborators that we will be going into at considerable length at the end of the broadcast or during the last section of the broadcast i should say continuing with the golden thought and balance article another nazi collaborator and separatist who came back from the west looking for a state was evo um and i'm not sure how his last name is pronounced o-m-r-c-a-n-i-n an official during the war with the foreign ministry of the state of independent croatia after the war omar khannan helped other nazis including ustasha president auntie p-a-v-e-l-i-c and klaus barbie escaped l pavlich to latin america while in the u.s omar khannan took part in events sponsored by the quasi-nazi institute for historical review interrupting that's an organization which denies that the holocaust the nazi massacre of european jews actually happened continuing in an interview with the yugoslav magazine st omar khan said he had returned to croatia to register a new political party he blamed jews for massacres against croatians during the war he claimed yasinovax a concentration camp set up to handle jews and serbs was a hollywood production quote you can see how big of an imagination these jews have when they make cartoons those are all made by jews his son of acts by the way is j-a-s-e-n-o-v-a-c [Music] we will take a look at uh the associates of omar khan and the ascent of acts and just exactly what did go down there what didn't go down there was a jewish massacre of croatians quite the reverse uh we will be taking a look at the terrible activities of the eustachia at considerable length and in detail later on in the broadcast suffice it to say that uh with the opening up of eastern europe the eustachian like these other eastern european fascists have taken advantage of the situation to plunge themselves in up to the elbow next we're going to return briefly to a section of the soviet union we have spoken at considerable length in this bra in this series in this archive show about the o u n bandera we looked at it last week and uh in the installment

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last week and uh in the installment before that we also took a look at our bandera in radio free america number one radio free america shows 14 and 15 and also the miscellaneous archive series of the nazis and anti-semites on george bush's campaign well the our is also courtesy of among others the aforementioned free congress foundation very active in the ukraine uh today and uh we're going to take a look at their activities in the ukraine right now in an order in a section of the article called separatist organizing in the ukraine the lantern golden fall right as follows right-wing separatists have become active in the ukraine with help from ukrainian-americans as in the 1930s the separatist banner is carried by the organization of ukrainian nationalists or our during the war the our collaborated with the nazi occupation politically and militarily and participated in the elimination of ukrainian jews after the war o.u.n militants were recruited to carry out a clandestine war against the ussr others found their way to the west where they resumed political activity since the war the our has been the backbone of the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations or abn a coalition including the iron guard and the linca party the our and the abn have been leading the public opponents of

the office of special investigations by the way that's a justice department body that has been looking into the importing of nazi war criminals into the united states not as much as they should have but they have been relatively active at least uh in terms of uh to not not reversing but uh when compared with the open collaboration that our intelligence services and national security establishment have engaged in vis-a-vis these types of individuals uh the office of special investigations at least nominally and to a certain extent has attempted to reverse albeit far too late uh that kind of activity uh their activities as i said came far too late because the united states as i will be talking about this coming april 13th has lost the second world war continuing now with this particular

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continuing now with this particular section of the article for the young oun has a new organization called the union of independent ukrainian youth inspired by the wartime oun leader stefan bondera b-a-n-d-e-r-a we looked at him last week in addition right-wing ukrainian-americans were involved in the march elections ashko lezinski l-o-z-y-n-s-k-i-j general counsel for the o-u-n-dominated ukrainian congress committee of america and other activists were sent by the washington-based free congress foundation welcome we looked at charles moser and his connections to the ukrainian quarterly and the ukrainian congress committee of america in the uh article dealing with the free congress foundation goes east reviewing again from the free congress foundation goes east the fcf is not entirely disconnected from the history of the oun the treasurer of the fcf board is george washington university professor charles moser moser also serves on the editorial advisory board of the ukrainian quarterly published by the ukrainian congress committee of america a group dominated by the oun it is the uh the ash called lezinski and i'm not sure how this name is pronounced is general counsel for the ukrainian congress committee of america and was sent by the free congress foundation so uh their continuity with the ouin remains intact and is obviously ongoing we're now going to review briefly some more information that we have uh touched on and this concerns laszlo pastor another individual who has been tapped by this the free congress foundation and he was a member of the arrow cross the hungarian fascist party which like the lincoln party like the eustachian like the iron guard collaborated with the nazis and uh enthusiastically participated in the nazi atrocities of world war ii they also obviously jumped to cia and other western intelligence organizations and also very active with the abn the anti-bolshevik block of nations

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in a section that bland and goldenthal called hungary's arrow cross the fcf was also involved in the march elections in hungary in a bitter contest at the democratic forum the party which would eventually win the contest used anti-semitic slurs against its rival the alliance of free democrats aid for the forum has come from far right hungarians exiled in the us including laszlo paztor a youth leader of the arrow cross during the second world war the aero cross was hungary's nazi party which came to power in 1944. pastor served five years in a hungarian prison after the war for the wartime activities for his wartime activities at the hungarian embassy in berlin a nazi past proved no great obstacle to success in the us paztor was selected by richard nixon in 1969 to recruit rightists from other eastern european communities to work for the republican party some of those recruited were committed nazis one of them boluslavs mikopskis b-o-l-e-s-l-a-v-s m-i-k-o-v-k-i-s a former latvian police officer was accused by the office of special investigations of being a war criminal in 1988 pastor was one of six members of the bush election committee forced to resign because of their nazi affiliations pastor now directs the free congress foundation's east european activities he also has advised the national endowment for democracy on funding hungarian political parties the fcf sent a team to hungary to teach the democratic forum election techniques so bear in mind this uh connection between the democratic forum or new democratic forum as it's also called and the hungarian fascist aero cross and in particular uh aerocross veterans from the united states including and especially the fcf and national endowment for democracy sponsored laszlo pastor have been very active in hungary with the new democratic forum we will be taking a look at the also inappropriately named new democratic forum uh what they're involved with

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forum uh what they're involved with ain't new and ensuring dama democratic we will be taking a look at them presently the last uh two sections here of the belant and golden fall article once again returning to the soviet union in uh a section of the article termed title i should say latvian activities they write only recently have far-right activists managed to get into the soviet bloc in october of 1988 the soviet union prevented latvian exiles from canada and the us from attending the founding convention of the latvian people's front one of those prevented from boarding the plane was leonard's lukes l ukss chair of the world found world federation of free latvians that last sentence again and i'm not sure about the pronunciation of many of these eastern european names so you'll have to bear with me one of those prevented from boarding the plane was leonard's luke's l-u-k-s-s chair of the world federation of free latvians luke's a toronto physician is well known in anti-communist circles he is the president of the captive nations committee in canada an organization closely affiliated with the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations luke's cleverest accomplishment to date was to help found the international black ribbon day committee in 1986 a toronto-based operation which is officially opposed to both nazism and communism but welcomes the support and participation of the linca dominated slovak world congress the ou n dominated world congress of free ukrainians and the far-right hungarian freedom fighters world federation the laksa last section of the article is called why question mark and it reads whether the political activities of these organizations and individuals will gain a following in eastern europe or the soviet union is debatable what the us seeks by promoting them ought to be subject to open debate the silence is deafening one more time whether the political activities of these organizations and individuals will gain a following in eastern europe or

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gain a following in eastern europe or the soviet union is debatable what the us seeks by promoting them ought to be subject to open debate the silence is deafening well obviously i have uh held forth at considerable length in this series about what i think the united states is doing by supporting organizations and individuals like this in the soviet union and eastern europe and obviously we've seen a considerable degree of continuity between the organizations used to promote these individuals and organizations both in eastern europe and the soviet union the free congress foundation uh the national endowment for democracy and turn organizations that they have promoted involved with the anti-bolshevik nations organizations like the the residual iron guard the linca party the slovak czech the slovak fascist collaborators from czechoslovakia the aerocross of hungary the uh fascist collaborators from latvia we've taken we will be taking a look at the eustachia we've touched on those already we'll be taking a look at them at considerable length as well as the ou n and some of the uh the lithuanian fascists that we looked at in earlier installments of this broadcast it is my belief that there are more that there well certainly the us national security establishment is anything but monolithic and it should be noted that there are undoubtedly elements of our national security establishment that would not like to see uh institutions and individuals like this come to ascendancy uh it should also be noted that uh there are elements in my opinion that although they are willing to play ball with organizations like this are actually doing this to provoke the soviets and uh begin a new new cold war because certainly uh there is going to come a point at which the activities of individuals and organizations like this are simply not going to be tolerated i don't know when that point is going to come but i wouldn't be surprised if it came pretty soon there are many elements of our national security establishment that although they would not support the fascism and anti-semitism of organizations like this are quite

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organizations like this are quite willing to use them as basically uh provocateur it is my opinion that they would love to see the soviets crack down on individuals and institutions like this and they may very well be using them for that reason they in a sense are being used as cannon fodder then of course there are many prominent elements in this

country but not only of our national security establishment but many industrialists and financiers as well who are of fascist and anti-semitic sympathies and would like to see nothing better than the return to power of people like the iron guard the arrow cross the lincoln party etc so it's worth bearing in mind that there are more than one uh there in all probability are more than one motivational factor behind the support of the united states and the other uh so-called western democracies for the activities of individuals and organizations like this we're going to take a musical break now and then we're going to come back and we're going to take a look at uh the effects of uh well the opening up of eastern europe politically and quite possibly the effects of the activities of some of these individuals in that part of the world we're going to take a look at an article from newsweek magazine talking about the return of the resurgence of anti-semitism in eastern europe and that return that resurgence is very evident and we're going to be looking at some of the same elements that we've already taken a look at uh the new democratic forum in hungary we're going to take a look at the uh national christian peasants party in romania and some of the same organizations that we have already seen in conjunction with abn free congress foundation etc music and then more of tonight's archive show we're now going to uh take a look at some of the apparent effects of bringing some of the individuals and institutions into eastern europe that we have already looked at now recall so far on the broadcast we've basically been taking a look at the same kinds of activities going on in eastern europe that we have looked at in the soviet union in weeks past just as we looked at organizations like the lcra and lic importing fascists uh and fascist ideas and symbols into lithuania

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fascist ideas and symbols into lithuania and just as we've seen the o u n bandera organization uh making its reappearance into the soviet union just as we've seen the national endowment for democracy and the equally inappropriately named free congress foundation supporting elements like that inside the soviet union uh we have seen the same sorts of institutions and individuals supporting the same kinds of institutions and individuals in eastern europe we took a look at the fascist arrow cross and connections between american veterans american-based veterans of the aero cross organization and the also inappropriately named democratic or new democratic forum which we will be coming back to we've taken a look at the uh resurgence of iron guard activity in romania the iron guard also with very strong connections to our national security establishment we'll be taking a look at them presently these organizations also connected to the free congress foundation we've taken a look at the world slovak congress basically a vehicle for the nazi collaborationist linca party and its activities both uh in north america and the transporting of some of those individuals uh to czechoslovakia where uh vaclav havel has apparently been more than willing to play ball with some of these same individuals although there are indications that they are now about to turn on him and we've also taken a look of course at uh the some of the same elements in conjunction with both the galen organization and the anti-bolshevik block of nations a key element of the former world anti-communist league in past broadcasts it should come as no great surprise that in eastern europe an area which has traditionally been very anti-semitic the return of elements like this would coincide with and perhaps uh help to fuel the resurgence of anti-semitism because anti-semitism is on the rise in eastern europe as well as the soviet union and we are finding as we examine that anti-semitism the resurgence of it the same names the same institutions that we have looked at uh in not only the golden thorn balant article but in the previous

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thorn balant article but in the previous installments as well we will be taking a look at now at organizations like the new democratic forum the national christian peasants party both organizations associated with the free congress foundation and we're going to take a look at some of the resurgent fascist and anti-semitic activities in eastern europe right now it is said that as you sow so shall you reap well they've been sowing in eastern europe and it looks like they're about to reap and in fact are reaping as well we're going to return to an article part of which we read a few weeks ago in an earlier installment of this broad this archive series actually it's not an archive series it's been

done in installments it's radio free america 36 but we're now going to take a look at an article called the long shadow subheaded the collapse of communism has allowed old hatreds to resurface throughout eastern europe and the soviet union five decades after the holocaust began anti-semitism is returning on the fringes of political life the challenge is to keep it on the fringes this is from newsweek magazine of may 7th of 1990 and as we move into the article and we read part of this dealing with the soviet union some weeks back we're going to take a look at now at information dealing with eastern europe the article reads in part across eastern europe anti-semitism and anti-communism now blend in an explosive mix secularized assimilated jews have occasionally achieved political prominence in the east block zionism had no appeal for them with the rise of fascism they were drawn to socialism and communism to the degree that jews helped introduce communist rule in eastern europe anti-communists will resent them but what is actually happening is something quite different tailoring hitler's old idea of a judeo-bolshevik conspiracy to a modern cut anti-semites now accuse jews of running just about everything even though the power everywhere even in the soviet block has always rested with non-jewish communists assimilated jews did play a significant role in running hungary after world war ii some say stalin planted them in the

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some say stalin planted them in the polyp bureau because he trusted them more than most hungarians interrupting bear in mind now of course that hungary fought on the side of the axis and against the soviet union in world war ii now returning to the article now with the disintegration of the hungarian communist party the word jewish used as a slur has come to signify a traitor not a money grubber jewish professionals dial their message machines and hear things like you dirty stinking jew will send you back to auschwitz unquote when the mtk soccer team founded by jews 102 years ago but now manned entirely by gentiles scores opposing fans shout quote no goals for the jews dirty jews jews jews to the gas chambers gas chambers gas chambers unquote quote such things are to be taken seriously says atala park pok a respected historian who is not jewish again quoting once a political leader is found who can make use of these feelings he might arouse the masses behind him interrupting uh now with the introduction of arrow cross related elements in hungary and the new democratic forum or democratic forum uh we it should not be uh all that surprising if we find a leader who is able to unite uh some of these individuals some of these sentiments underneath him and uh exploit them to uh be for well exploit them effectively uh in uh future hungarian politics and uh bear in mind now that the free congress foundation is closely allied with the uh new democratic forum that we looked at and the new democratic forum or democratic forum has received significant help from american-based aerocross veterans because we're now going to take a look at the new democratic forum and some of the things that uh we have uh well that we should really come to expect at this point from an institution like the democratic forum allowed with fcf and the aerocross and the abn etc

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and the aerocross and the abn etc returning to newsweek of may 7 1990 the long shadow the recent hungarian elections presented a case study of these forces at work the campaign pitted an anti-communist group called the democratic forum that's the fcf abn arrow cross-related group that we took a look at earlier returning again the campaign pitted an anti-communist group called the democratic forum against the alliance of free democrats some of whom were reformed communists dropped out drummed out of the party years ago some of whom were jews over the radio playwright east von sureka c-s-u-r-k-o or you at csu rka excuse me a spokesman for the forum said quote wake up hungarians as long as a dwarfish minority can make a whole society accept that their truth is the only truth the great popular masses of the hungarian people cannot have a good time in their own country unquote shurka said later that he was attacking communists not jews he attributed hungary's residual anti-semitism to the fact that stalin had placed four jews on the politburo an act he called a deliberate plot quote to destroy the self-esteem of the hungarian people unquote elsewhere jews were attacked for everything from introducing abortion to increasing crime by bringing violence to television in the movies not all members of the forum resorted to anti-semitic tactics

forum leaders disavowed them nor was anti-semitism the only issue in the campaign whatever the case the forum won and bear in mind the fcf aerocross abn connections to that that we've touched on earlier continuing no one has yet taken full account of anti-semitism in hungary during and after world war ii the common belief among non-jewish hungarians is that the country has always been good to its jews that they were not sent to the death camps until 1944 when the nazis occupied the country and that even then hungarians resisted saving most of the jews from the budapest to save us one more time and that that even then the hungarians resisted saving most of the jews from

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resisted saving most of the jews from the budapest ghetto park calls this version nonsense quote unquote he points out that aerocross fascists killed jews throughout the war that once adolf eichmann put the final solution into operation hungarians fell quickly in the step it's very hard to grasp the significance of the holocaust here he says and hungarians have never accepted their share of the blame for it unquote and bear in mind again the democratic forum or new democratic forum its alliance with the free congress foundation the inappropriately named freelance free congress foundation and the aerocross and abn elements that we've looked at earlier we're now going to take a look at activities going on in romania today and once again we're going to take a look at the iron guard and a vehicle for residual for resurgent iron guard activity in romania the national peasants party or now the national christians peasants christian peasants party as that has been renamed and that also was an organization that we looked at in the belant and wolf article as being among the uh the students and the associates of the free congress foundation returning to moon newsweek of may seventh of nineteen ninety during the romanian revolution last year the security secret police burned down their own headquarters to destroy their records they didn't quite succeed last week an old communist across town showed a visitor a sheaf of scorched files he took a charred page from one of them it was a report charging that ian puyo p-u-i-u now vice president of the national peasants party the most important opposition group in romania was once a member of the iron guard like all unprocessed police records this one proved nothing but the possibilities were interesting during the nazi occupation the iron guard hanged the corpses of jews from the bucharest ghetto on hooks under a sign that said kosher meat quote unquote that by the way was the program that we talked about in radio free america too that was the one that was started by valerian trifa who we looked at in the

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valerian trifa who we looked at in the uh golden fallen balan article from covert action information bulletin that we read earlier continuing after the war some of these people drifted into the far right wing of nbp which has never purged itself right now the party is the senate right right now the party is in the center of an election campaign marred by anti-semitism the two main targets under npp attack are petre roman roman the prime minister of the interim government and silvu brucon b-r-u-c-a-n a theorist for the national salvation front both had jewish parents neither considers himself a jew graffiti on bucharest walls read quote roman isn't roman unquote an article in the npp's paper accused brucan along with six prominent jewish communists of quote organizing the genocide of the romanian people on quote during the post-war years it denies any connection to anti-semitism sometimes it sounds persuasive sometimes it doesn't quote we never made such radical statements as the jews brought communism to romania says loop johan j-o-a-n the npp's secretary general yet the party's newspaper made just such assertions even accompanying one article with a caricatured jew as the devil just as just so no one could miss the point the party has now changed its name to the national christian peasants party anti-semitism isn't covert it is open now says rabbi moses rosen romania's chief rabbi who has been criticized for working too closely with the fallen shoshesko regime and buying freedom for jews to immigrate to israel in his study he pulls out one book entitled is communism jewish unquote and another one called the occupation of the world by the jews unquote these can easily be found there are no definitive romanian books about romanian jews until a few months ago it was a crime to own western books on the holocaust and continuing now from romania and berenmont again that the national christian peasants party a vehicle for residual iron guardists

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a vehicle for residual iron guardists and resurgent iron guard activity in romania is another of the organizations that was involved with the free congress foundation as we looked at in caib number 35 the wolf bland article continuing now and we take we're going to take a look at what's going on in poland as well the holy mary basilica in san dometers poland s-a-n-d-o-m-i-e-r-z poland was built in the 17th century within the church there was a huge painting entitled infante sada infanta sid infantacida i-n-f-a-n-t-i-c-i-d-a it depicts a band of caricatured jews kidnapping stabbing and dismembering christian babies as part of a religious ritual a plaque claims that quote faithless members of the jewish community killed two sandomere's babies in 1698 and 1710 a nun walks by did jews really do these things certainly she says they once did but no longer there are no jews left in poland before the holocaust 3.5 million jews lived in the country today there are perhaps 4 400. religious fervor and anti-communism have given poland a fiercely anti-semitic image polls say this is grossly unfair how could there have been so many jews in the past if poland had not welcomed them yet today polls cannot even agree on on how many of what kind of people died at auschwitz a sign at the death camp says for here four million people suffered and died at the hands of the nazi murderers the word jew does not appear the best estimate is that up to 1.5 million jews and a hundred thousand poles were gassed and cremated at auschwitz this wound began throbbing last year over a small carmelite covenant convent at the camp jews said the convent was inappropriate cardinal joseph glemp said jewish intolerance and control of the western media were the real problem fellow cardinals criticized him solidarity rebuked him and he ultimately backed down now a new convent is to be built farther

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now a new convent is to be built farther from the camp and the quikwits of warsaw have invented a new polish verb to glimp quote unquote it means to say something that makes one look unusually stupid cross-currents of nationalism roman catholicism anti-communism and anti-semitism make it almost impossible for an outsider to follow the manipulations of polish politicians who practice anti-semitism without jews at the offices of the national word kristoff kaweki k-a-w-e-c-k-i runs a desktop publishing operation and dreams of uniting the country's monarchists christian nationalists and other ultra rightists he denies being anti-semitic but he and his people are deeply suspicious of bronishla geramic g-e-r-e-m-e-k head of solidarity's parliamentary foreign affairs committee adam mitchnick mich m-i-c-h-n-i-k editor of gazeta veborge w-y-b-o-r-c-z-a solidarity's daily newspaper and yashek kuron k-u-r-o-n minister of labor and by the way i will once again apologize i'm probably butchering many of these pronunciations the first two men are assimilated jews many mistake kiron as being jewish kawecky says quote it is impossible to say the jewish question in poland is not an actual problem anymore the force and meaning of jews doesn't consist in their numbers but in their influence mostly in culture and the mass media unquote no one in poland misunderstands the national word so there has certainly been a lot of talk about the return of democracy to eastern europe well there may be some democratic elements and i'm certainly not going to pretend that this is represents the totality of eastern europe but at the same time i think it's quite obvious that as the covert action information bulletin articles pointed out and as this article uh illustrates uh that anti-semitism and fascism have indeed returned to eastern europe whether or not they will dominate that part of the world remains to be seen but the activities of the us national

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the activities of the us national security establishment the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations the lcra the lic the free congress foundation national endowment for democracy etc all of these elements that are sponsoring uh the iron guard the arrow cross the link of party and the elements that we've looked at uh certainly have to be viewed as bearing a lot of the responsibility for the success of this kind of uh propagandizing and this kind of anti-semitic philosophizing which is uh taking hold in an area that has traditionally and historically been very anti-semitic and

once again bear in mind that we've seen that we've seen the new democratic forum the national christian peasants party these are organs which have been actively involved with the free congress foundation as we looked at in the covert action information bulletin article uh from caib number 35. we're going to take another musical break and then we're going to return to the last installment of tonight's program and we're going to take a look at uh in considerable detail at the croatian fascists the ustashi which are resurgent now in yugoslavia and which are one of the elements uh helping to stir up long dormant but always present ethnic hostilities in yugoslavia uh arguably the most complex and uh rent asunder of all of the areas in eastern europe it's questionable uh whether yugoslavia just like the soviet union is going to survive and we're going to take a look at the ustashi what they did who supported them their jump to the west at the end of world war ii their continued activities in many places and we're going to take a look at their resurgence both in croatia and uh also we're going to take a look in the final element of this last installment we're going to take a look at mustachi elements active both in the united states and in croatia music and in the final installment of tonight's archive program last installment of tonight's probably last installment of radio free america 36 there is one more article that i may go into next week in fact as i think about it probably will go

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as i think about it probably will go into it to a certain extent so we will uh do a little more next week by way of wrap but this is the last major installment now what we've been looking at this evening is western and american support in particular for resurgent fascist elements in eastern europe we've taken a look at the collaborationist linka party which has evolved to a certain extent in the into the slovak world congress an organization uh unfortunately with some links to vaclav havel in czechoslovakia we've taken a look at the romanian iron guard elements of which have evolved into the national christian peasants party we've taken a look at the arrow cross the hungarian fascist organization we've taken a look in past installments at a ukrainian fascist lithuanian fascist to a certain extent latvian fascists this evening and it should be better than it should be born in mind that many of these elements are linked by as i said the anti-bolshevik block of nations previously the galen spy organization and uh in a political activist sense the free congress foundation and its sponsor the national endowment for democracy which also as we looked at in the first installment uh had been very active in supporting the uh lcra and lic uh vehicles for the reintroduction of fascism into lithuania and the sajudis party in particular we're now going to take a look at what is going on in czechoslovakia in yugoslavia and it should be noted that yugoslavia is also a socialist country although it broke with the soviet union in the immediate aftermath of world war ii it has though as a socialist country been a consistent target for us and western destabilization and it yugoslavia in particular is very vulnerable to destabilization because like the soviet union there are many diverse nationalities in yugoslavia although it's much smaller of course and like the soviet union these nationalities have a number of uh fierce and long-standing rivalries and bitternesses it should be noted again that as i said earlier in the broadcast just as is the case with the soviet union these

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case with the soviet union these bitternesses these rivalries uh certainly transcend and predate the second world war and the cold war they predate the rise of uh socialism or marxism and uh it one should avoid making the mistake of oversimplifying these ethnic clashes into uh simply a manifestation of the cold war at the same time it has been a major focus of u.s intelligence activity in the post-world war two period to destabilize nations not just in europe but elsewhere by promoting traditional hostilities between various ethnic groups within the targeted nation there is very firm evidence that uh western activity is involved with the current uh problems in yugoslavia and i'm not going to even attempt to cover all of the different ethnic problems in yugoslavia or analyze the problems of yugoslavia as a whole and the failures of its government undoubtedly there have been many failures by uh tito and then his successors marshall tito the leader of the yugoslavian communist party uh who gained control during the second world war as a result of the heroic struggle of the yugoslavian partisans in resisting the nazis uh he then came to power and just as uh the soviets have done uh undoubtedly made many mistakes and many serious ones however it

is to be noted too that all the problems those countries have endured have also been greatly exacerbated not only by the cold war and the huge defense spending that that has necessitated but also by active destabilization by uh fascist elements working for western intelligence and because the focus of this broadcast is the us national security establishment and its connections with international fascism that is the element of this that i am focusing on in the program uh the the activities of western supported elements are obviously uh very important although not the by any means the only thing that is going on in both the problems of the soviet union and uh elsewhere in eastern europe however that

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elsewhere in eastern europe however that is the element of it that i am looking at in this broadcast and it should be noted that just as those just as the role of western intelligence support for fascism in these countries problems should not be exaggerated it should not be underestimated which tragically it tends to be even by so-called progressive observers now in yugoslavia at the moment there uh is a tremendous amount of hostility between the different republics of yugoslavia and in particular there is a renewed bitterness between the serbs and the croats two of the major uh nationalities in yugoslavia the two of the major uh two of the major six republics are serbia and croatia and it should be noted that the history of bitterness uh between the serbs and the croats although it predates the cold war on world war ii uh it reached a peak during that period when independent croatia the fascist puppet state of croatia conducted a brutal brutal campaign against serbs as well as jews and communists and that is something we're going to be looking at in the broadcast this evening and in particular we're going to take a look at the ustashi and the support of western intelligence and other elements of our national security establishment and the vatican for the ustashi and their continued activities to this day the us the ustashi also represent a very important element of the anti-bolshevik block of nations re-reading a short section from the article that we read earlier balkan nationalists peddling fascism by howard goldenthal and russ belant by way of easing into our discussion of yugoslavia the destabilization of yugoslavia and the fascist cru ustashi presence in that destabilization another nazi collaborator and separatist who came back from the west looking for a state was evo omar khan and again i'm not sure about the pronunciation omrca nin an official during the war with the foreign ministry of the state of independent croatia after the war omar khannan helped other nazis including eustachia president auntie pomelech p-a-v-e-l-i-c and klaus barbie escape to

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p-a-v-e-l-i-c and klaus barbie escape to latin america while in the u.s omar khannan took part in events sponsored by the quasi-nazi institute for historical review in an interview with the yugoslav magazine st omar khannan said he had returned to croatia to register a new political party he blamed jews for massacres against croatians during the war he claimed his son of acts a concentration camp set up to handle jews and serbs was a hollywood production quote you can see how big of an imagination these jews have when they make cartoons those are all made by jews unquote well it would appear that evil omar khan and is another indies is not alone in uh his ustashi and pro-fascist and anti-semitic views he has plenty of company in croatia and uh the activities of people like him are one of the factors exacerbating the ethnic bitterness in yugoslavia today reading a short section from the san jose mercury news from sunday march 17th of 1991 this is an article by carol j williams of the los angeles times it's headlined serbia and croatia on the verge of war state-lined belgrade yugoslavia and it reads in part as follows yugoslavia's largest republics moved on to a war footing saturday with serbia and croatia mobilizing police and reservists in the wake of a federal leadership crisis that has heightened the likelihood of a military coup those tensions at least for the time being have cooled somewhat but when you see serbia and croatia on a war footing quote unquote it should for a student of eastern european history in the second world war on fascism in particular bring back a familiar albeit very terrible and depressing uh recognition namely a resurgence and a revival of the conflict between the serbs and the croats which was the central element in the brutal stash regime during the second world war reading now from the

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monday march 4th of 1991 this is an article by steven engelberg e-n-g-e-l-b-e-r-g dateline pacrac yugoslavia or pakrats i'm not sure how it's pronounced p-a-k-p-a-k-r-a-c it's headlined serb-croat showdown in one village square and it reads in part as follows the enmity between serbs and croats who make up the largest of yugoslavia's six republics has deep roots about thirty miles from pacroats at the ascinovax concentration camp tens of thousands of serbs gypsies and jews were killed when it was run by the fascist puppet government of croatia during world war ii for the serbs the memory of the wartime atrocity is long giovan millianic milja a 70-year-old retired road worker stood with a group of serbian men on the outskirts of pacross today and declared quote if the croatian police does not withdraw there will be victims the croatians killed people stuffed them down wells people still remember this they get frightened when they see the same insignia that they saw in the war years unquote by the way it should be noted too that the croatian uh militia the croatian police have to show a pure croatian heritage going back several generations and they prevented a serbian march to come commemorate the slaughter of serbs at the sonovax re-reading this last couple of sentences quoting this fellow uh yoban milianits millianits m-i-l-j-a-n-i-c milganich if the croatian police does not withdraw there will be victims the croatians killed people and stuff them down wells people still remember this they get frightened when they see the same insignia that they saw in the war years and that insignia of course is the eustachian insignia and just exactly why that is so terrifying to people from serbia well we're now going to recount some of the history and i think it will become only too clear what those people are afraid of and why the memories are long and bitter we're going to review now actually we're

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we're going to review now actually we're going to illuminate the history of the ustashi the brutal croatian fascists who collaborated and even outdid the nazis in their ferocity during world war ii we're going to take a look at a section of a book called wanted the search for nazis in america it's authored by howard bloom blum published in hardcover edition by quadrangle books copyright 1977 and in this book there's a chapter about andrea artuchovich the ustashi minister of the interior who was nicknamed the himmler of the balkans and who oversaw the brutal campaign against the serbs and jews and gypsies in uh fascist croatia during the second world war this man's name by the way is andre artucovic spelled a-n-d-r-i-j-a-a-r-t-u-k-o-v-i-c and of artukovich yason of acts the brutal concentration camp he set up and the atrocities committed that uh by the yustashi the ones that uh rightly terrify the people of serbia bloom writes as follows andrey artukovich was a guest of the german government at the hotel kaiserhof in berlin when enterprise 25 took place enterprise 25 the code name for hitler's order to his high command to destroy yugoslavia quote both militarily and as a state unquote began minutes before 7 a.m on april 6th 1941. on that morning luftwaffe planes bombed belgrade while german troops along with their italian bulgarian and hungarian allies crossed yugoslav borders within four days german forces occupied zagreb and were pushing south a telegram sent by pavlich in rome to hitler that by the way is ante pavlich the paglovnik who was the head the head of state of wartime fascist croatia repeating once again a telegram sent by pavlich in rome to hitler rejoiced quote at the moment of the entry of the glorious and invincible german troops into my homeland i take the liberty

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into my homeland i take the liberty furor of conveying to you my gratitude and devotion independent croatia will tie her future to the new order in europe which you furor and the duche have created unquote on april 17 1941 the yugoslav army surrendered the union which one world war had created was now destroyed by another interrupting yugoslavia was put together at the end of world war one it previously and its its member republics have been part of the austro-hungarian empire it's worth noting here that uh pavlich by way of digression pavlich perhaps not actually

uh talks about the new order in europe we're now hearing uh george bush uh himself allied with many of these same elements talking about the new world order that was hitler's phrase precisely it's also worth noting here uh that at the enterprise 25 was to destroy yugoslavia both militarily and as a state as we're speculating about the extent to which we are now furthering enterprise 25 on behalf of hitler continuing here with the description of what happened in yugoslavia in general and wartime croatia in particular the nazis supervised the partitioning of the country the italians were given most of the dalmatian coast hungary and bulgaria grabbed other pieces of the spoils while the nazis kept old serbia with its capital of zagreb for their own rule croatia though became an independent state a nustashi state designed and ultimately controlled by the nazis by the way ustashi is u-capital u-s-t-a-s-h-i you'll also hear it called ustasha and that is the name it means warrior in croatian that is the name of the croatian fascist organization five days after the proclamation of the independent state of croatia pavlich and artucovich accompanied by german and italian troops led a contingent of 200 armed and uniformed soldiers through the streets of zagreb they had returned finally triumphant to take control immediately a nazi-sponsored cabinet was announced pavlich as chief of state and is his number two man the interior

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is his number two man the interior minister andre arthukovich the decade of exile was finally over for years power had been the obsession now an independent now an independent croatia realized a new more terrible obsession would take its place the complete and permanent institutionalization of this power the ferocious brutality that powerless exile had masked mustachi rule would quickly expose during the first summer alone an estimated 180 000 serbs jews and gypsies would be slaughtered the man directing this genocide was andrea artuchovich it was artucovich who on april 30th 1941 signed the decrees of racial affiliation unquote which defined the term jew artukovich's croatian adaptation of the nazi racial law was even more stringent than its model another series of anti-jewish laws all based on the nazi nuremberg decrees quickly followed the nationalization of jewish property and business the prohibition of inter-marriage the prohibition of employing female aryan servants under 45 the establishment of racial origin for members of the state bureaucracy and the professions and the racial identity law which required that quote persons of the jewish a jewish race over the age of 14 must wear signs identifying themselves as jews in the form of a round tin plate when outside their homes this sign must be worn so that it can be seen on the left side of the breast each of these decrees was signed by interior minister andrea artuchovich legislation was not a sufficient solution to the jewish question quote unquote the decisive and healthy grasp quote-unquote which artucovich boasted about to the sabor that's the croatian parliament came in the form of decree and it's in roman numerals uh i'm not even going to attempt to uh cover this came in the form of a decree this law signed by artucovich legalized the establishment of 20 concentration camps the camps were directly controlled by artucovich it was the intelligence service security service and ustashi

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service security service and ustashi police unit specifically under the command of the minister of the interior which organized the mass arrests and supervised the exterminations yasinovax a former brickyard was transformed under the personal direction of artukovic into the largest croatian extermination camp artukovic working with the assistance of adolf eichmann supervised the conversion of the brick kilns into ovens where thousands of serbs and jews were burned alive death at these camps though was not just by anonymous fire the yustashi even more so than the gestapo demanded a more personal involvement in their evil the ushi murderers killed their victims with an atavistic passion throat slashings eye gougings tongue extractions axe decapitations and disembowelments all were common ways of death for enemies of the state the mustache seemed to lust after barbarism personally challenging challenging each other to respond more wildly to pavlich's call to blood quote unquote at the asylvox contest one more time at yesen of acts contests were conducted to see which ustashi could execute the fastest with his graviso grav iso a long curve-bladed knife petar brazika brzica was the champion his graviso cut through 1300 throats in a

single night for nearly four years the killings continued artucovich's executioners hunted in the towns and cities of croatia for those he had labeled quote the poisonous damagers and insatiable parasites unquote his men were very effective over three hundred thousand yugoslavs were victims of the ustashi and despite all the killings artucovich personally demanded more excess it was artucovich according to yugoslav documents who ordered chief of police franio trujar t-r-u-h-a-r to quote kill all the serbs and jews without exception unquote it was artucovich who warned the mayor of serene c-e-r-i-n quote if you can't kill

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serene c-e-r-i-n quote if you can't kill serbs or jews you are you are an enemy of the state unquote it was artucovich who scolded simon boontich b-u-n-t-i-c for killing only two serbs quote you should not have come to me at all if you have not killed 200 serbs so uh obviously the people of uh serbia are uh to be understood when they have long memories about uh the brutalities of the ustashi but eventually like all good things the uh independent state of croatia at least for the time being came to an end continuing with bloom's account but as the right crumbled so did the independent state of croatia on may 4th 1945 the german troops pulled out of croatia and the eustachian followed for pavlich and artukovic the years on the run began once more they changed into civilian clothes and under the protection of the retreating nazis managed to reach austria well we're going to take a look now at uh the post-war career of the eustachian although the independent state of croatia at least for the time being remains uh a goal and not one to be actualized although croatia is moving towards independence right now how the fact of the matter is the ustashi remained very much together and very active under the auspices of organizations like the galen organization and also the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations in the world anti-communist league that uh league again has been renamed the world league for freedom and democracy uh if there's anything they're not concerned with it's freedom and democracy a very good book about the world anti-communist league came out a few years ago it's called inside the league subtitled the shocking expose of how terrorists nazis and latin american death squads have infiltrated the world anti-communist league it's co-authored by scott anderson and john lee anderson published in hardcover by dodd mead and company and copyrighted 1986. uh the subhead here the subtitle is a little ridiculous the shocking expose of how terrorists nazis and latin american death squads have infiltrated the world anti-communist league that's a little like saying the shocking expose of how terrorists and nazis have infiltrated

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terrorists and nazis have infiltrated the gestapo i mean it's basically what the organization was put together for and it's remained uh true to its creed now of the post-war continuation of the eustachia john lee and scott anderson write as follows in inside the league perhaps no other european fascist group escaped quite as intact as the croatian ustasha although thousands of lesser officials and soldiers were captured either by the soviet army or tito's partisans and almost always summarily executed virtually the entire leadership escaped responsible for the slaughter of a million of their countrymen the eustachian were able to allude justice through a combination of allied incompetence vatican complicity the chaos of post-war europe the mutual suspicions of the united states and the soviet union the generous assistance of the argentine and spanish governments and the solidarity of croatian emma greys in every part of the world skipping down portraying themselves as victims of communist persecution whose only crimes quote unquote were to be croatian patriots the eustachia quickly set up front groups in their exile communities in 1956 pavlich founded the croatian liberation movement or hop with its headquarters and its supreme council in buenos aires stephan heffer he feared the loyal henchmen was named to the supreme council in exile heifer made no attempt to hide his allegiance to the estacia cause or his bitterness at the united states and great britain for having failed to accept the croatians as allies i would interrupt uh that bitterness at least against the united states should have faded at this point continuing the great western powers preferred to fight against the idea of nationalism because of their own selfish reasons the western democratic powers also accepted the propaganda of tito and the yugoslav communists and proclaimed croatian nationalism and croatian revolutionary struggle for freedom under the leadership of the

croatian ustasha movement as nazi fascism unquote after rival croatians attempted to assassinate pavlich the following year

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assassinate pavlich the following year the paglovnik sought refuge in spain as pogla vnik that's his formal title he lived quietly and reclusively in madrid until his death from natural causes in december of 1959 he is buried in a secret cemetery outside madrid on pavlich's death the leadership of the hop passed a step on hefer other factions appeared each claiming to be the true inheritor of the eustachia creed some were more than willing to display their adherence to pavlich's teachings by acts of terror one the croatian revolutionary brotherhood a hit squad formed in australia in 1961 is composed mainly of second generation croatians who have maintained close ties with the old ustasha network one more time because we're going to take a look at a second generation croatian nustasha in a second one the croatian revolutionary brotherhood a hit squad formed in australia in 1961 is composed mainly of second generation croatians who have maintained close ties with the old ustasha network skipping down once again [Applause] the ustashi continue to have a great deal of strength within croatian immigrate communities throughout the world including in the united states they now portray themselves as democrats quote unquote and again quoting in harmony with the american tradition of freedom and independence unquote but such croatian newspapers as danica d a nica and nasa nada nasa nada the lot of the official newspaper of the croatian catholic union of the united states continue to pay reverence to their fallen poglovnik and his ustasha cause the ustashi have managed to get their voices and demands heard not only through acts of terrorism but also through the forum of international organizations like the world anti-communist league after the death of hefer in 1973 his place as head of the croatian chapter of the league was taken by anton bonifaci boni facic another former ustasha official living in chicago as president of the fallen pavlich's croatian liberation movement bonifaci

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croatian liberation movement bonifaci now represents croatia at league conferences giving speeches and passing resolutions on the continuing struggle for the independent state of croatia liberally rewriting history and doing so whereas the croatian nation they're quoting here whereas this is uh from uh a speech here given by uh bonifacic and bear in mind of course the world anti-communist league was a major uh not only a source of ideological inspiration for the reagan and bush administrations but also a major organ of foreign policy uh john singlaub in the world anti-communist league were heavily involved with supporting the contras in nicaragua returning here to bonifacio in his misrepresentation of croatian history whereas the croatian nation was subject to the unprecedented genocide in which massacre of about 1 million croatians were slaughtered by communists or serbs who were opposed to the croatian self-determination and national independence of course this is interrupting here this is a 180 degree reversal of the facts it was the croatians as we've seen who did the slaughtering of the serbs and communist jews and gypsies continuing or reviewing here whereas the cronatian nation was subjected to the unprecedented genocide in which massacre of about 1 million croatians were slaughtered by communists or serbs who were opposed to the croatian self-determination and national independence therefore the 11th conference of the wacko resolves to declare that the socialist federal republic of yugoslavia this artificial creation of versailles and yalta should be substituted by free independent and democratic states unquote this is uh a wackle resolution obviously aiming at breaking up yugoslavia which appears to be going on right now continuing interestingly taiwan the chief sponsor of the wackol is one of only two nations in the world to recognize the croatian liberation movement as a legitimate government in exile the extent to which the eustachian have been able to influence world opinion and portray reports of their past crimes as nothing more than communist propaganda is perhaps best illustrated by the

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is perhaps best illustrated by the machinations over april 10 1941 take note of this because this is very important the extent to which the repeating the extent to which the eustachian have been able to gain influence the extent to which the eustachian been able to influence world opinion and portray reports of their past crimes as nothing more than communist propaganda is perhaps best illustrated by the machinations over april 10 1941. april 10 1941 was the day the germans invaded yugoslavia and established the eustachia regime today among both the old ustashi and the new april 10th is known as croatian independence day to yugoslavians especially serbs and jews it is remembered as the day their holocaust began during his tenure as governor of california ronald reagan passed a resolution recognizing the date as independent croatia day as a favor to his croatian constituents one more time during his tenure as governor of california ronald reagan passed a resolution recognizing the date as independent croatia day as a favor to his croatian constituents he later rescinded the proclamation and apologized to the yugoslav government when informed of the true significance of april 10th a simple if embarrassing mistake but others haven't picked up the cue in a pamphlet put out by the national republican heritage groups council a branch of the republican party entitled 1984 guide to nationality observances unquote there is this heading under april 10th croatian independence day the independent state of croatia was declared by unanimous proclamation in 1941 thus ending an enforced union with royalist yugoslavia in which croatian independence was subverted and threatened lack of western support and access occupation forced the new state into an unfortunate association with the axis powers the eustachia historical revit and then returning to uh the anderson's text the eustachia historical revisionists could not have said it

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revisionists could not have said it any better now again april 10th is the date on which yugoslav croatia became independent as the fascist puppet state of the nazis and it also was the date on which artucovich and pavlich began their slaughter which we have already heard described in one of the search for nazis in america it uh should be noted that not only ronald reagan but the republican national republican heritage groups council have basically at least reagan for a time in the national republican heritage groups council still carried on the mythology of the april 10th holiday we're now going to take a look at something which falls quite close to home by way of taking a look at uh the link between the croatian fascists and other supporters in the united states and the croatian fascists and the separatists in yugoslavia today the ones who are helping to promote the flag of the friction with serbia i'm going to play you a section of a broadcast that was uh featured on sister station kkupfm on april 6 of 1989 for many years kkup had a program called the croatian radio hour this was hosted by the person you're going to hear speaking in just a minute his name is aunty yakovcevic spelled j-a-k-o-v-c-e-r-v-i-c and on april 6 1989 he held fourth about the april 10th holiday and misrepresented history about as fundamentally as bonifacic did in this the section of inside the league that we heard that is the republican uh national heritage groups council and for a time ronald reagan did as well uh this uh particular individual obviously is abustashi sympathies and it is to be noted that uh after he left the united states he was dismissed from kkup as a result of having made this broadcast a process i was able to assist uh kkup general manager al calamay in doing uh it should be noted that he went back to croatia and he is now according to a reliable source functioning in an official capacity for the new uh independence-minded government of croatia i'm not sure whether he's an

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croatia i'm not sure whether he's an official a civilian official or a functionary of some kind or bureaucrat or whether he's a member of the croatian militia who have to prove a croatian heritage going back several generations but this fellow antiakov chavez who you're about to hear is now functioning in croatia on an official capacity for the croatian government there now again this program which you're about to hear is a section of a broadcast uh of the croatian radio hour it was aired on kkupfm on april 6 of 1989 and for those people who eventually hear this program by tape and in other areas kku pfm is a licensed non-commercial listener sponsored radio station that is a member of the national federation of community broadcasters and it is a nice liberal at least in theory uh radio station much most of

the people there are liberals i myself broadcast on that station but it's worth noting uh just how easy it is for fascist elements to infiltrate a progressive organization and to uh maintain an influence there uh of course people do not know what these stochi are uh you talk to most americans and you ask them what a new stash is they're gonna say well is that like a watusi or is it more like a jacuzzi they've never heard of it the fact the matter is that uh ignorance permits uh people like aunty akavjovic to operate in the way that he was able to do so successfully for many years again the following broadcast was aired on kkupfm on april 6 of 1989. and we got another call from john bakotic and he asked us what we know about coming event in the croatian church on the sunday he received a flyer and what is about that so and and the coming sunday it's not a church celebration is a celebration by major drewborn california and this will be 10 april 10th which is a day when it was established independent

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when it was established independent state of croatia and i will give a little more history later but uh to answer question to mr john uh it's going to be must and will be programmed after that with the group nes branimir and tamborita crowslaby and for dancing will play with dubrovnik so that's about this group that are organized are all groups political groups together that celebrate that political date that was independent state of croatia and uh 1918 was established first yugoslavia and then after that in that period was a kingdom of slovenia croatia and serbia and of course during that period was people there were not happy with that situation in yugoslavia was not freedom was not national freedom for anybody who was not serbian and because was in general serbians in a power so what was people that call what call history as uh control serbian hegemony that's what call if you ask slovenian and croatians about that so when when germany was invited yugoslavia yugoslavia was uh capital eight in uh and break in the six seven days and that time was a form independent state of croatia and also in another croatia before that was in austria hungary monarchy for many years and no in pardon me before 1918 was in austria hungary monarchy and then when i was he was break

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he was break then it was established that first yugoslavia and kingdom of slavin croatians and serbians buckingham was a serbian king and so of course he was rolling in his way so then when germany was invited at that first yugoslavia then yugoslavia break in the part and was independent state of croatia was established and that state was uh for four years and then during that period was uh uh another uh part of the people that got together and they were fighting ag against this state and the socration people were split in the two one where uh defending this state of croatia and another were fighting for with communists for uh another yugoslavia with president tito and so that was after four years was established second yugoslavia with president tito and so people and organization political organization who support independent state of croatia then celebrate this date and so that's what is mr jan uh all about so if anybody has any other questions even our political we don't mind this is free country we can speak and we can talk about and if anybody has anything to ask we will willing to answer whatever we know so call us at two five three six thousand two five three six thousand so uh we will try to answer on a disc creation radio program 91.5 fm in cupertino kkup

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91.5 fm in cupertino kkup station yeah well uh he was there for a while he's not there anymore as i say as a result direct result of that broadcast he was ousted from kkup a process i'm proud to say i was able to assist him considerably uh unfortunately uh kkup's gain was croatia's loss he is now as i said back in croatia functioning in an official capacity for the new croatian separatist minded government there and note again the fundamental misrepresentation of history that the eustachian have been so successful in up in uh creating and perpetuating that they themselves were the victims uh certainly there have been all kinds of hostilities and discriminations back and

forth for centuries in the balkans and yugoslavia in particular but uh they they were not the victims of persecution they were the persecutors and active and brutal collaborators of the nazis as we looked at in the horrifying description of the uh slaughter conducted by the yustashi and it says worth noting the fundamental distortions of history that this fellow was talking about how germany was invited into yugoslavia well of course germany was not invited into yugoslavia any more than they were invited into any of the other places they wound up and it's worth noting though that uh uh these people are very much with us today they did not disappear unfortunately and uh as author william faulkner noted in one of my favorite quotes uh faulkner noted that quote the past is never dead and buried it isn't even past and it's worth noting again the continuity between what goes on in america here and what is now going on in uh eastern europe by way of uh the destabilization this fellow auntie akovs is functioning in eastern europe i'm not sure whether he's a bureaucrat or a political official or a member of the croatian militia but uh he's there and he's doing his thing i guess he was invited into croatia just like the germans were invited into yugoslavia in 1941 that concludes uh this

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that concludes uh this archive show i'd as i said i think that i'll read one more article by way of conclusion next week to wind up radio free america 36 this concludes the prepared portion of tonight's broadcast i'm now going to give a brief summation of what is going to be included in radio free america 36th of the sixth and final installment that title once again or the title of radio free america 36 is the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war three question mark and what i'm going to begin with is a brief synopsis of what we have looked at so far in this series by way of review i'm going to review the central points of the first five installments then we're going to delve back into a very very important issue of covert action information bulletin specifically covert action information bulletin issue number 35 and i'm going to read a section of one more article and all of another by way of uh concluding and summing up and examining one of the main reasons why the current activities of the us intelligence apparat and the far right in this country of course those two things are inextricably linked why exactly these events and goings-on are so very very dangerous or one of the reasons why they're so very very dangerous we're going to begin by taking a look at a section of an essay by a fellow called mello named i should say melvin beck last name b e c k and he is an expert or a student of the us intelligence system and counterintelligence in particular there's an essay in caib number 35 called the loosening of political barriers and he points out quite correctly in my opinion that both the pentagon and the cia i essentially have a stock in maintaining the cold war that the huge budgets the defense budgets that the pentagon has enjoyed over the years are going to be reduced if in fact the soviet menace quote unquote is no longer perceived as such that there is an

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perceived as such that there is an attempt to destabilize destabilize the ussr and to provoke a reintroduction of stalinism a re-starting of the cold war has been one of the central themes of this program and melvin beck obviously tends to agree with at least some aspects of that we are also going to look at a long essay called the balance of terror this is authored by a fellow not not too long an essay but uh all of an essay by a fellow call who calls himself boris badenoff b-a-d-i-n-o-f that's a pseudonym for a journalist and researcher who is watching the developments in eastern europe he has an essay called balance of terror and this balance of terror essay is one of the things that i think will represent one of the central points in this conclusion of radio free america 36 he basically points out that if there is a significant imbalance in the balance of terror that has existed between the us and the ussr and beyond that if one side in this case the ussr feels that there is a serious serious compromising and weakening of its intelligence system that in and of itself would make a nuclear war more probable not less probable i'm in agreement with that and we will be presenting that this evening for your examination we will conclude the both the prepared portion of tonight's broadcast and this last installment of radio free america number 36 with a couple of articles from the press this past week uh both of these as a matter of fact from today's san francisco sunday examiner and chronicle today by the way

being sunday april 7th 1991 for those of you who eventually hear this by tape or on tape we are first going to be taking a look at the proposition currently being weighed in the united states to [Music] begin sharing technology with the soviet union concerning the remote in disabling of nuclear weapons

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remote in disabling of nuclear weapons should those weapons fall into the hands of dissident nationalists within the ussr there has been a proposition of floated to share remote disabling technology with the soviet union in order to prevent the possibility of nationalist or terrorist groups within the ussr getting their hands on nuclear weapons many of those many nuclear weapons have been removed from some of the most unstable republics in the soviet union i wonder whether perhaps this is one of the carrots being floated along with a stick of the continued destabilization of the ussr and the reintroduction of fascist elements into the ussr and eastern europe that we've looked at over the past several weeks we will talk about that and we're going to take a look at an old and ominous name who has been discussing this a fellow by the name of sven kramer national security council member and the son of fritz kramer the former plans officer for the u.s army for over 20 years and also almost certainly the formerly the chief of staff of the sixth ss panzer army for hitler's germany we will conclude with a look at some comments by dirty dick nixon old evil the evil one himself is back and uh he has been in the ussr and he basically discounts the soviet union as a world power he says that basically their economy is so bad that uh even their military power no longer is relevant and their economy is so bad that they will not be able to keep up with military developments here in the united states that will be by way of taking a look at what has happened in the past and what we can expect in the future uh dick nixon himself an individual who has a very sordid past and unfortunately an individual who has been politically rehabilitated in spite of the fact that his connections range all the way from some of the galen and third reich veterans that we've looked at for so many years on this program all the way up through and including the assassination of president kennedy uh the jfk assassination was one of the things which lay at the heart of

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things which lay at the heart of watgate even though tragically the mainstream press and even most of the so-called alternative press have chosen to ignore those very very important connections that is what we have on tap and after a very short musical break we will come back with the main body of tonight's final installment of radio free america program number 36 the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war iii it's time now to begin the actual main body of the final installment of radio free america program number 36 this is the sixth and sixth installment of the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war iii and i'm going to highlight very briefly the major points that we have looked at so far by way of not only reviewing for the benefit of those of you who have missed programs but also by way of tying together the many points of information in this broadcast because this is a program as i mentioned that has been carried on over now including tonight's broadcast a six week period in the first installment we began taking a look at one of the major underlying theses of the hypothesis that i'm looking at in this program namely that the destabilization of the ussr has involved among other things what is in essence a flanking maneuver both on the southern and northern flanks of the soviet union it is my opinion that the gulf war among other things and it should be remembered in this regard that when the u.s national security establishment decides to move on any given issue they do so when to move in that direction will scratch a number of different strategic itches at different levels simultaneously now uh digressing briefly to review vis-a-vis the gulf war well the gulf war has accomplished a number of different things that the national security establishment of the american far right have wanted uh domestically of course it has dramatically boosted the fortunes of george bush domestically it has also uh forestalled massive cuts in the defense

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forestalled massive cuts in the defense budget which had been a forecast as a result of the quote end unquote of the cold war uh it has also served domestically to boost the profits of oil companies to a considerable extent domestically it has also obscured a lot of very very troubling economic issues ranging from the gutting of the bill of rights very disturbing legislation and judicial decisions that have been handed down to the very precarious economic situation that the united states is in at the moment internationally it has accomplished a number of different things uh for one thing a very clear message has been sent to any third world country that might attempt to challenge the military might of the united states uh according to a united nations report uh iraq has been bombed back to the pre-industrial stage literally bombed back to the stone age as the cliché has it that ask that undoubtedly has to serve as a blunt warning to any nation that would choose to challenge the united states militarily in the future particularly a third world country that might attempt to resist the will not only of the united states but by extension that of the multinational corporations as well it is my opinion that one of the most important aspects of the gulf war and this is the aspect which ties in with the thesis the hypothesis that i've been developing here over the last six weeks that the gulf war also represents a in essence a flanking maneuver against the soviet union on its southern flank and consequently a means of exerting tremendous pressure on the ussr now reviewing very briefly one of the most basic or arguably the most basic military maneuver in military strategic considerations is what is known as a flanking maneuver a flanking maneuver was used by a general schwarzkopf to defeat the iraqis what it involves basically is projecting projecting one's forces around the flank of your enemy's line of defense this permits your forces to do a couple of things first of all to attack the enemy from his rear and cut off his lines of supply that obviously will affect victory relatively quickly

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will affect victory relatively quickly or if the enemy turns his forces around in order to meet the threat from the rear that weakens his central line of defense thus permitting a frontal assault to stand a much greater chance of breakthrough and success than it otherwise would a flanking maneuver because of its great effectiveness and a tremendous threat that it presents to a line of defense is something which any military defense strategist will seek to avoid at any cost the gulf war involved the projection of enormous u.s military power including a lot of very sophisticated high-tech weaponry onto the soviet union southern flank that took place at a very narrow distance from the soviet union uh also iraq utilized a lot of soviet weaponry although much of it was several generations out of date uh some of it was up to date and beyond that it should also be noted that uh the iraqis also utilized some aspects of soviet defensive strategy although their military is not viewed as being up to a par with that of the soviet union all of that notwithstanding one of the things that we looked at in the first section first installment of radio free america 36 six weeks ago was the fact that the relative success in particular of u.s air power and some of the us air fleet's high-tech weaponry has been viewed with considerable alarm by the soviet high command and this has led them to not only reevaluate their own air defenses but beyond that it has created considerable anxiety in the soviet union and in the soviet military high command about the projected cuts in soviet military spending the fear is that this will would place them at a disadvantage at some point in the not-too-distant future vis-a-vis the united states obviously the soviet economy is in very very bad shape continued high levels of military spending will make that uh very weakened economy even worse and consequently that will cause the social unrest currently ravaging the soviet union to increase and that of course will have a destabilizing effect on the ussr we also took a look at the

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we also took a look at the for the independence and nationalist movement in lithuania which is explicitly fascist in character in a very important article from covert action information bulletin number 35 which we will be going back into once again this evening we took a look at the sejudis movement in lithuania that is the nationalist movement in lithuania and we reviewed some very important the little known aspects of lithuanian history lithuania after it became independent from the soviet union lithuania had been part of the russian empire since the 18th century after

the bolshevik revolution in 1917 it became independent and in the 1920s it became the second fascist state in europe as an independent country it was specifically modeled after the uh corporate state set up by mussolini in italy in the early nineteen twenties and we took a look at the links between a president lonsberg's historical and cultural links between president lonsberg's of lithuania and lithuania's fascist past the fascist militia which were operant in lithuanian represented the basic security forces of fascist independent lithuania were called the sabandori i don't know how it's pronounced s-a-v-a-n-d-o-r-i-a-i president lonsberg's father was a member of the sabandori and upon assuming the presidency of lithuania he not only revived the savandori eye in defiance of soviet law but brought back both the flag and national anthem of independent and fascist lithuania beyond that we took a look at how the savandori and independent quote-unquote lithuania actively collaborated with the third reich including the final solution the holocaust the liquidation of lithuanian jewry when the third reich invaded the soviet union in 1941. we then took a look at how three intersecting organizations first of all the national endowment for democracy and then the two organizations used by that have helped to reproject

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used by that have helped to reproject fascism into lithuania lonsberg's has received active assistance in uh basically restoring fascist elements to lithuania and attempting to break lithuania away from the ussr from not only the national endowment for democracy but specifically the two main organs of ned activity inside lithuania those organizations are the lithuanian catholic religious aid or lcra and the very closely linked lic or lithuanian information center that those organizations were founded by a fellow named archbishop burgess and i think that's how his name is pronounced y b-r-i-z-y-g-y-s or b r i z g y s uh let me double check the spelling on that i'm operating off the top of my head here however since i have uh the covert action information bulletin in front of me i might as well uh get that and actually verify the spelling it's uh b r i z g y s okay only one y b r i z g y s i'm going to pronounce that burgess but that may be wrong in any event archbishop burgess had a history of collaboration with the the third reich during the nazi occupation of the ussr he denies that but uh there is abundant documentation for that we went in that into that in the in this first installment of radio free america program 36 and through the activities of lcra lcra and lic again founded by a fellow who actively collaborated with the third reich and whose history of involvement with lithuanian fascism is uh basically a matter of public record at least we took a look at that part of the public record which is available in this particular article it is to be noted that the return of fascist symbols and fascist elements to lithuania should come as no great surprise given the fascist antecedents of lcra lic and given their activities on behalf of the national endowment for democracy inside lithuania it should come as no surprise whatsoever

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it should come as no surprise whatsoever that those kinds of elements and those kinds of symbols should re-emerge in lithuania now as i mentioned in one of the central points of the first section of radio free america 36 is that the baltic states which were ceded to the soviet union as a result of the hitler stalin pact in 1941 something the us has never recognized uh the baltic states represent an absolutely critical area strategically for the soviet union they they give the soviet union their only warm water ports outside of the kamchatka peninsula and vladivostok vladivostok is not a vet is not ice free all year round beyond that uh the elimination of the baltic states as the soviet defense area would permit nato uh naval forces in the united states in particular to operate with relative impunity right off the soviet union in the baltic sea uh this obviously would badly compromise the soviet union from the standpoint of military strategy and consequently it is something that i don't think the soviet high command is likely to stand for i do not think it is at all accidental that we saw a fierce crackdown by the soviet military in lithuania and the other baltic states during the period immediately preceding the gulf war uh the soviet military and the national security establishment meaning the kgb and gru soviet military intelligence have made it very clear that they're not going to tolerate the breakup the physical dissolution of the soviet union into its constituent republics uh the proposed lithuanian and baltic independence movements are something therefore which can be expected to serve as

provocation for the soviet military and ultimately i suspect if the independence programs continue we may very well see an overt soviet military coup and military occupation of these areas certainly the reintroduction of fascist elements such as the savandoria the fascist flag and national anthem the activities of lcra lic founded by people like archbishop burgess with his history of involvement with fascism this is something that

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something that uh i don't think the soviet national security establishment is likely to stand for i suspect that the united states itself is doing this in order to provoke at least at one level to provoke a soviet response which in turn would serve to heat up the cold war we could then uh or our national security establishment could then point to the fact or the contention that we can't trust the russians therefore we've got to maintain the high levels of military spending that we have had over the many many years obviously if the soviets themselves are forced to match that military spending that is going to have a further destabilizing effect on the soviets economy now uh another major section another major element in the first installment is the fact that the warsaw pact in the first uh this first week's uh downloading of information the warsaw pact is in the process of dissolving it has formally announced its disillusion nato on the other hand uh as a result of the gulf war and also uh as a result of the lithuanian crackdown and fears that that may uh signal a return to the cold war has received new vitality and there is new talk not only of sustaining nato but perhaps even of including some of the former soviet satellite states in an association with nato that also figures to greatly provoke the soviet national security establishment make them feel even that much more secure and heighten in my opinion the possibilities of a military crackdown in the ussr with the resultant resurgence or rejuvenation of the cold war which i fear may stem from these kinds of activities those were the central elements of the first installment of the broadcast now in the second installment we took a look at how the us military spending which took place under ronald reagan in the 1980s uh was not so much to permit the united states to fight a nuclear war successfully but rather this represented an element of

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rather this represented an element of destabilization against the soviet union it was in the opinion of pershing of uh mr gervais uh pershing gervais i believe his name was again i will verify that uh from the uh covert action information bulletin that i have before me uh sean gervais excuse me uh pershing gervais is another uh observer but uh sean gervais in an article called a full court press the destabilization of the soviet union uh theorized and i am in agreement that the military buildup that what took place in the united states under ronald reagan was not intended so much to actually give the united states the ability to successfully fight a nuclear war as it was intended to destabilize the soviet union by forcing continued high levels of soviet military spending also denying them uh key technology destabilizing them through the use of proxy wars and this was intended to force changes in the soviet political system by weakening soviet society this was made quite explicit by people like richard pipes a key national security council advisor during the reagan years and he said in so many words and shawn gervais reports uh fortunately that uh the real goal was to force political changes in the soviet union to force them away from socialism and into a free-market economy by basically placing an unsub uh an insuperable economic burden on the soviet union by forcing them to match our extraordinary military expenditures another two other central elements of the second installment were my contention that the new push for star wars which has taken place as a result of the success of the patriot missiles against the scud missiles even though it's a very different technology that this is not only something which had been predetermined by the bush administration but that this also is intended as uh an attempt to destabilize uh the soviet union further by forcing further high levels of soviet military spending and uh it is my belief that this had been intended for quite some time and that also as a result of the gulf war the

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also as a result of the gulf war the rejuvenation of star wars the obvious destabilizing effect that's likely to have on the soviet union by forcing them to match our military buildup i suspect this also was predetermined obviously we can't say that for sure it is as i like to say food for thought and grounds for further research i suspect though that uh the rejuvenated star wars push which george bush introduced during the course of the gulf war as a result of the success of the patriot missiles i suspect that had been predetermined for some time i also uh made the point in the second installment that there is very firm evidence that the united states actually provoked saddam saddam falling into that trap myself uh saddam hussein into invading kuwait uh the two main points of information from a very important article in the london observer from october 21st of 1990 are a study commissioned for iraq and the other uh arab oil-producing states by the center for strategic and international studies in washington dc which strongly advised the arab nations to push for a 25 a barrel price saying that the west and the united states consumers in particular would stand for a 25 barrel a barrel price for oil and recommended that a gulf state with the military power to do so put pressures on its neighbors to go along with the 25 a barrel price and beyond that they were very clear diplomatic signals sent to saddam hussein that the u.s would do nothing if the iraqis invaded kuwait and there were very firm indications all along or for quite some time i should say that they were going to do just that the most important and most publicized of these diplomatic signals was a conference that a u.s ambassador to iraq april glaspie had with saddam hussein in which he indicated that arab border disputes were no concern of the united states as i said i it is my belief and one of the central contentions of the hypothesis that i have been developing over the past several weeks that though

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over the past several weeks that though this war had been planned for quite some time and as i indicated a couple of minutes ago it satisfied a number of different considerations at different levels and i suspect the pentagon had in mind many of the things that it has gained from the gulf war for quite some time certainly the image of the pentagon in the us military has undergone an enormous boost in prestige as a result of the war in the third installment the first week the third week i should say we took a look at the second kind of pressure to be placed on the soviet union as a result of the uh as a component of the binary destabilization with sean gervais in his article of full court press the destabilization of the soviet union presented in uh the article we covered in week two now in that article gervais said that destabilization involves external pressure and he spoke about the full court press and the military buildup of the reagan administration as one of the elements putting pressure on the soviet union he also said that in addition the destabilizing or attacking power also has to interfere in the domestic politics of the victim nation or the defending nation in order to rearrange its politics according to its own liking the major vehicle for political uh intervention in the soviet union has been something that we looked at in week three an order in an institution called the free congress foundation or fcf this is an organization founded by paul wyrick w e y r i c h one of the linchpins of the american far right and an individual who not incidentally was very much involved with helping to engineer the political success of ronald reagan and the american far right in this country for quite some time it's worth noting that there are very strong connections between the free congress foundation and boris yeltsin mikhael gorbachev's main political opponent in the soviet union it's also worth noting that the free congress foundation has very strong connections to some organizations with fascist past and the explicit nazi involvement specifically where we have reviewed

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specifically where we have reviewed connections between charles moser a key fcf official and theOUN a ukrainian fascist and nationalist organization which collaborated first with the nazi germany and then jumped to the united states along with the spy organization of reinhard galen recalling briefly of course uh the galen organization is one of the things that we have looked at for many years here on this broadcast galen reinhardt galen last name g-e-h-l-e-n was hitler's chief of intelligence for the eastern front during world war ii he headed up an organization called

fho or fremda hera aust that was the nazi eastern fraud intelligence organization during the second world war after the war he jumped to the cia with his entire organization and became in that organization became in effect the cia's department of russian and eastern european affairs it then became in turn the de facto nato intelligence organization and finally the bnd the bundesliga condensed the west german intelligence service now of course the german intelligence service since there is no longer an east and west germany it should be noted that in addition to the operational and institutional ties between elements and people associated with fcf such as charles moser and the oun also very closely involved with the anti-bolshevik block of nations or abn a fascist organization which began in association with adolf hitler in 1943 and which also uh has been a key element not only of the world anti-communist league the former world anti-communist league but also of the galen spy organization one of the people who was tabbed by fcf to head up fcf political activity in eastern europe was a fellow named lazlo paztor last name p-a-s-z-t-o-r of the anti-bolshevik block of nations pastor was a former member of the arrow cross fascist organization in hungary that organization collaborated actively with hitler as did hungary during the second world war and passed or very

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second world war and passed or very close to abn also the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations is a key free congress foundation functionary inside the soviet union he also has been very active in hungary as well another point that we looked at in the third installment was the attack by boris yeltsin a vicious attack by yeltsin on mikael gorbachev the day after gorbachev proposed his unsuccessful peace initiative for iraq thereby in my opinion and that of several other observers attempting to forestall the the what was in essence the us flanking maneuver on the soviet union's southern flank i do not think that the timing of yeltsin's attack given his association with uh people like uh the paul weirich founded fcf with its many fascist uh in elements and involvement the attack by yeltsin on gorbachev at that time i suspect was no accident can't prove it of course but it falls into the category of uh food for thought and grounds for further research one of the main operating concepts of this broadcast over the years in the fourth installment we reviewed from our archives the history of the the attempts by the united states and the west in general to destabilize the soviet union and specifically uh attempts to fragment the soviet union and break it up into its constituent nationalities we took a look at information from radio free america number one reviewing the oun the organization of ukrainian nationalists its association with the third reich and its jump to the cia the oun has long advocated an independent ukraine and the ukraine is one of the separatist republics in the soviet union at this time after that we took a look at information from radio free america 14 at the anti-bolshevik block of nations and its activities uh attempting to destabilize the soviet union over the years we took a look at a an organization which was described in that broadcast as a pre-wackie wackie namely the prometheus

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pre-wackie wackie namely the prometheus group the prometheus group which involved among other things the pan-turkist movement something which was first founded uh as an independent uh well i shouldn't say independent which first flourished uh not only in turkey but also under the sponsorship of the prometheus organization it then collaborated with the third reich and like the galen organization with which it is involved it jumps to the cia and nato at the end of world war ii the prometheus organization collaborated with the third reich and its major goal was not only to remove socialism and marxism from the soviet union but again to break the soviet union up into its constituent nationalist republics we took a look also at the collaboration between the anti-bolshevik block of nations and the pan-turkists and also the collaboration between the o-u-n and the anti-bolshevik block of nations and specifically we took a look at people like theodor oberlander a key galen functionary and ss man during world war ii it's his connection with the oun and his connection with the anti-bolshevik block of nations and again the review in section four was from radio free america shows numbers one and fourteen in the fifth section uh fifth installment of the broadcast we took a look at the free congress foundation once again and we jumped from its activities inside the

soviet union vis-a-vis boris yeltsin and the irg uh it's a communist party group set up by yeltsin and andrei sakharov we took a look at fcf activities inside of eastern europe and in particular we took a look at its connections with organizations that have served as repositories for residual fascist elements in eastern europe and also as vehicles for the apparent resurgence of those very same fascist elements and anti-semitic elements in eastern europe specifically we took a look at the activities of fcf in connection with the democratic forum or new democratic forum in hungary that is an organization which has involved the active collaboration of residual

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the active collaboration of residual members of the arrow cross organization the hungarian fascist organization with which laszlo passed or the aforementioned laszlo passed or was affiliated we took a look at at uh fcf activities in romania and its connections with among other things the new the national christians uh the nccp uh the i believe it's well i will find the exact uh title of that organization i believe it's the national christians peasants party or ncpp i guess it is the national christian peasants party is not nccp national christians peasants party in romania that is an organization which had strong connections to fcf and which also has served as a repository for the iron guard the brutal fascist organization which collaborated with the nazis in world war ii and which is showing signs of resurgence inside of romania we also reviewed the resurgence of anti-semitism in that part of the world in particular how organizations like the new democratic forum the national christian peasants party have served as vehicles for the uh resurgence of anti-semitism in that part of the world among the things that we looked at in week five in an article called the balkan nationalist peddling fascism we took a look at an organization called the slovak world congress in czechoslovakia now during world war ii in czechoslovakia slovakia was split up by the nazis the nazis partitioned czechoslovakia into its various component parts and slovakia was set up as an independent puppet fascist state under the reverend joseph t cell last night named tiso the main fascist collaboration collaborationist organization in czechoslovakia during world war ii was the linca party spelled h-l-i-n-k-k-a and the slovak world congress has served basically as a repository for residual linka elements in particular as well just like uh the new democratic forum

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just like uh the new democratic forum has served as a vehicle for the arrow cross and as the national christian peasants party has served as a vehicle and repository for the iron guardist in romania the the slovak world congress has served as a vehicle for and repository for uh residual linka party elements in czechoslovakia and around the world uh the lincoln party it should be near the slovak world congress was founded in and based in canada but there are strong connections between that organization and the government of vaclav havel in czechoslovakia the two main names of three main names to uh know in connection with slovak world congress are a felony yosef kirschbaum and also a guy named durkhansky and both of them were officials of the lincoln party and uh war criminals uh condemned in absentia for their collaboration with the nazis the founder of slovak world congress a fellow named steve roman r-o-m-a-n it's worth noting that a fellow who was formerly director of protestant broadcasting for radio free europe itself founded by reinhard galen a fellow named reverend dusan toth t-o-t-h has been appointed as a special foreign adviser to vaclav havel it's also worth noting that just as the uh just as slovakia had achieved independence quote unquote under the nazis during world war ii the slovaks or many elements of them are once again agitating under vaclav havel to break off from czechoslovakia and so we're seeing to a certain extent a recapitulation of the same historical patterns we then took a look in section 5 at activities going on inside yugoslavia and in particular we focused on the return of the brutal fascists of the ustashi or uh ustashia allied elements in yugoslavia and croatia in particular yugoslavia has always represented a relatively fragile uh coalition of uh nationalities which had been formed at the end of world war one during world war ii just as slovakia was set up as an independent collaborationist state in czechoslovakia

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collaborationist state in czechoslovakia by the nazis or what had formerly been czechoslovakia so croatia was set up as an independent state inside of what had formerly been yugoslavia and we took a look at residual fascist elements of residual ustashi elements operating under the auspices of not only u.s intelligence and a fellow named omar khannan omr can i n we also took a look at ustashi elements operating under the auspices of the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations as well we took a look at attempts by croatia to secede from yugoslavia and the current uh possible fragmentation certainly the enormous friction in yugoslavia between serbs and croats there is a very complicated ethnic situation inside of yugoslavia but we focus primarily on the serbian serbian and croatian antagonism and that is one of the main dynamics inside of yugoslavia at the moment which threatens to uh force the partition of yugoslavia it should be noted that we took a look at the statements by an a residual ustashi operating under the auspices of the anti-bolshevik block of nations a fellow named bonifacio i'm not sure how it's pronounced [Music] b-o-n-i-f-a-c-i-o and he stated in an address that he gave before an abn meeting that it was the goal of the abn to force the breakup of yugoslavia we also took a look in section 5 at fcf activities and our connective activities inside of the ukraine and also uh latvia as well one of the major points to understand from section five and one of the major dynamics to take a look at in our examination of the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe are the fragmentary pressures or the pressures to fragment some of the states of eastern europe into their various ethnic nationalities there is renewed hostility in romania between ethnic hungarians and ethnic romanians there is obviously a renewed push for independence by the slovak in czechoslovakia and slovakian

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slovaks in czechoslovakia and slovakian independence was agreeing the partitioning of yugoslav of czechoslovakia rather was actively put it was done by the nazis uh just as we are seeing attempts by various nationalities inside the soviet union to secede from the soviet union many of the republics are attempting to secede we are also looking at uh the attempted breakup or the possible breakup of yugoslavia into its constituent republics as well the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations again a key element of the former world anti-communist league in a major vehicle of both political inspiration and covert operation for the reagan administration and the u.s national security establishment in general the the goal of the abn has long been the not only the rollback quote unquote of communism from eastern europe but the actual breakup of the soviet union into its constituent republics it should be noted that we are now seeing in the in the soviet union and eastern europe a an actualization of the abn program to a considerable degree it's also worth noting again that as i said earlier and as we noted in weeks past as well as in the two-part radio free america series about the world anti-communist league that the goal of the that the anti-bolshevik bloc of nations it should bid i should say had long been a lie not only with the us intelligence but specifically represented a repository for third reich activists uh people who had collaborated with the third reich or worked uh directly with the third reich people like theodore oberlander a key ss official and it should be noted that the abn was begun in 1943 in cooperation or collaboration with adolf hitler what we are seeing to a considerable extent now in the soviet union and eastern europe is a rejuvenation of and fulfillment of hitler's agenda namely the partitioning of the various eastern european countries or some of them anyway into their constituent republics the uh perhaps incipient breakup of

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uh perhaps incipient breakup of yugoslavia certainly yugoslavia is badly weakened we're seeing renewed pressures to break up czechoslovakia with the slovakian independence movement gaining steam inside of czechoslovakia and again in the soviet union we are seeing renewed pressures by the various constituent republics to secede from the soviet union it should be noted that again the soviet national security establishment has stated in no uncertain terms that it will not stand for the partition of the ussr and for the breakup of the ussr i don't know perhaps they will

change their mind and stand for that my guess is they would no more stand for that than abraham lincoln stood for the breakup of the united states in the 1860s uh it is my guess that if these nationalist and secessionist pressures continue and it should be noted the active u.s involvement with some of the most venal and openly fascistic elements involved in those nationalist movements uh ultimately we will see a crackdown perhaps a military coup in the soviet union certainly a military crackdown this will serve as a pretext for the starting up of the cold war and a continuation of the high levels of military spending in the united states that is a brief summary and a brief rundown of what we have looked at in previous installments after a short musical break we are now going to finish with the final installment of the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe and take a look at what has happened as well as what figures to happen in the future music and then more information by way of capping off radio free america 36 the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe and once again i would remind listeners that one of the main points to understand as we take a look at what is going on that the activities currently going on inside the soviet union and eastern europe both the uh possible breakup of the soviet union although i doubt that the soviet military and intelligence services will stand for that they've already said at least publicly that they would not uh also the

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publicly that they would not uh also the possible breakup of yugoslavia the uh possible partitioning of slova of czechoslovakia into slovakia and the other uh elements of czechoslovakia but these things represent a fulfillment of hitler's agenda and hitler's actual policy inside that part of the world and uh in a very real sense the program that i'm doing radio free america 36 could be termed how the ussr lost the second world war i mean that quite literally i suspect ultimately that the destabilization of the soviet union in eastern europe will lead to a crackdown by the soviet military and intelligence services it's difficult to imagine that they would simply lay back and allow the soviet union to break up and uh it is also difficult to imagine that they would allow the united states to gain complete military dominance and so i i would expect at some point although perhaps i'm wrong perhaps the soviet union will simply roll over and uh cease to exist i would be surprised if that happened completely but uh it figures that at some point there is going to be a return to the cold war because the soviet military will crack down whether they decide to depose gorbachev or whatever they decide to do i don't know i am not optimistic about the future and it is my belief that the u.s national security establishment and the pentagon in particular would like to see exactly that one of the things that's important about studying history and studying the real history of the united states is to understand that the military and intelligence services and what president eisenhower referred to as the military-industrial complex the very closely related defense industries in this country that they basically call the shots and i mean that quite literally and studying the assassination of president kennedy it becomes quite clear that those are the dominant elements in this country now that bullets not ballots make the ultimate decisions concerning american real politque it should be noted that president kennedy was attempting to end the cold war the military didn't like that the cia didn't like that the defense industries didn't

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like that the defense industries didn't like that and so they eliminated president kennedy and uh the assembly the single most important thing that kennedy was attempting to do was to extricate us from the vietnam war well obviously that did not happen kennedy was removed and the whole his the whole tragic history of our involvement in vietnam is now a public matter of public record well the ending of the cold war represents something that is deeply threatening to the u.s national security establishment uh gorbachev said that uh we are going to do something terrible to you meaning the united states we are going to deprive you of an enemy well gorbachev may have spoken too soon because uh certainly the soviet union is not in very good shape it would not surprise me actually if gorbachev himself was america's man uh there may very well be deep us involvement inside of the soviet leadership uh unfortunately the lack of hard information about things like that makes it difficult to make an accurate assessment of just what that just how deep our involvement is we know that boris yeltsin is america's man there that is now a

matter of public record due to the uh good work done by uh russ bellant and uh lewis wolf and their work on the free congress foundation but it is a safe bet that the as triumphant as this country would appear to be and the pentagon and intelligence services in particular that the diminishing of the soviet threat is viewed with great dismay in certain quarters and it would not be surprising if the ongoing destabilization of the ussr the attempts to fragment the reintroduction of fascist elements into the ussr in eastern europe was an attempt to provoke the soviets into restarting the cold war so that the defense mega bucks can continue to roll in uh the sir the cold war has been raised on detroit for the cia and the high levels of pentagon spending ever since the end of the second world war the next item that we're going to introduce into radio free america 36 is yet another article from this very

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is yet another article from this very very important issue of covert action information bulletin specifically we are now going to look once again at covert action information bulletins issue number 35. this is their issue for the fall of 1990 and those of you who would like to obtain this very important issue can contact covert action information bulletin their address once again covert action information bulletin can be found at p.o box contact that i should say at po box 34583 box 34583 that's in washington dc the zip code is two zero zero four three p o box three four five eight three washington dc two zero zero four three and the next article from this issue that we're going to look at is called the loosening of political barriers it's authored by melvin beck last name beck and his bio summary is as follows melvin beck spent 27 years studying the soviets in the national security agency and in the cia he has written the book secret secret secrets contenders the myth of cold war counterintelligence published by the sheridan square press in new york copyrighted 1984 so former cia and nsa analyst melvin beck writes of the apparent ending of the cold war as follows i'm only going to read part of the article at this juncture of the loosening of political barriers between the united states and the soviet union it is both premature and euphoric to proclaim that the cold war is dead what has quote died unquote temporarily is the intensity of the ideological propaganda that has marked the standoff of the rival superpowers since world war ii let it be said that the mere fact of a political fall in the cold war offers not the slightest reason for an intelligence organization to alter its structure or mission or its established methods for conducting espionage counter intelligence or covert action very important sentence i'm going to read it i re-read it i should say let it be said

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i re-read it i should say let it be said that the mere fact of a political fall in the cold war offers not the slightest reason for an intelligence organization to alter its structure or mission or its established methods for conducting espionage counter intelligence or covert action nor can it be construed that simply because nations continue to be ideological partners for instance the united states and israel they would refrain from spying on one another i.e the jonathan pollard case skipping down on the article [Applause] finally given the sense of victory that engulfed the upper echelon of u.s and western governments as the soviet government changed its cold war posture and given the urge to help satellite countries along the road to quote democracy and freedom unquote i'm glad he put quotes on that continuing actually i should re-read that uh democracy and freedom does not appear to be what's going on in eastern europe of fascism and anti-semitism it seems to me comes a whole lot closer to it as we looked at last week by rereading this sentence finally given the sense of victory that engulfed the upper echelon of u.s and western governments as the soviet government changed its cold war posture and given the urge to help satellite countries along the road to democracy and freedom it would seem that the pentagon and the cia would send warnings of hesitation and disbelief to the u.s government these two organizations have the most to lose if the cold war fades away rereading that last sentence because it's very important these two organizations have the most to lose if the cold war fades away the pentagon realizes that once the communist threat quote-unquote diminishes so too will public support of the pentagon's costly race for weapon supremacy in military nuclear and space superiority the cia's analytic and intelligence processing components will continue to function at optimum levels but its action arm for

clandestine espionage counterintelligence and covert action will shrivel only to the degree that the rival superpowers come to share similar

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rival superpowers come to share similar strategic aims on a world basis and again i have maintained that it is my feeling that a return to the cold war will obviously continue to destabilize the soviet union by forcing continued high levels of military spending with the resultant continued strain on the already overburdened soviet economy that in turn of course will heighten the already massive uh social and political instability inside the soviet union it obviously will serve as a justification for the perpetuation of high levels of military spending in this country as well as uh continued cia and other intelligence agencies covert action uh functions and it should be noted uh that ultimately uh it remains to be seen what would stem from such a policy there are no doubts many elements in this country and the multinational corporations in particular that would like to see the soviet union converted to a free market economy uh and basically a less a fair capitalist economy along the lines of what the united states has become uh it should be noted that uh mikhaïl gorbachev although introducing perestroika has long favored a mixed economy not a free market economy like those that advocated by yeltsin and others baron yeltsin's connections to free congress foundations and their reactionary and fascist antecedents uh the pentagon and the cia however stand the most to gain from a return to the cold war that ultimately would serve to destabilize the soviet union my guess is again that the dominant economic interests in the west where economic interests in the west would like to get a hold of soviet resources and to have a free market economy there uh it remains to be seen what would stem from a return to the cold war but i wouldn't necessarily bet that a free-market economy would be the result of such a thing a very important article was also published in this very very important essay was also published in the same issue of covert action information bulletin caib number 35 this is an article called balance of

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this is an article called balance of terror it's authored by a fellow who writes under the pseudonym of boris badenoff b-a-d-i-n-o-v a cartoon character from the 50s and 60s and that is a pseudonym as described here boris badenov is the pseudonym of a journalist and researcher watching the developments in eastern europe and what this fellow writes about in this essay called the balance of terror is the weakening of the soviet intelligence system as a result of the virtual elimination of communism in eastern europe and also the demoralization and apparent defection of large elements of soviet intelligence and how this is not likely to have a beneficial effect on the united states and this essay is one of the main reasons why i have entitled radio free america 36 uh the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war iii question mark because the destabilization of the soviet union might might ultimately lead to a nuclear war uh although i get i have said that uh there are undoubtedly uh elements uh favoring the destabilization of the soviet union who envisioned a free market economy inside the soviet union it is possible that uh there might be a miscalculation that what uh prussian military theoretician found closets referred to as friction i.e things happening that were not foreseen could take place and a destabilizing of the soviet union of compromising of their strategic and intelligence situations could conceivably lead to a nuclear war whether one directly planned by uh probably not the soviet leadership but perhaps elements of it uh certainly a destabilized nuclear superpower is not something which uh figures to add to world stability and this essay here is one of the most important in this very important issue of covert action information bulletin it reads as follows during the past year the kgb and other eastern european intelligence agencies have been hammered by setbacks and defections though you'll never hear it from the c i a the fact is the

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from the c i a the fact is the intelligence crisis in the socialist countries creates complex new dangers for both east

and west i would interject here bear in mind the information uh in the melvin beck essay that uh the a temporary thawing in relations is not likely to uh dissuade an intelligence agency from pursuing its normal course of action there's every indication that uh the loosening of barriers in eastern europe and the soviet union has simply led to increased destabilization certainly it has not benefited the soviet union one bit they may have been badly off before they're even worse off right now continuing some measure of the present dissension inside soviet intelligence can be seen in the controversy triggered by a rebellious retired kgb major general oleg kalugin k-a-l-u-g-i-n kalugin's public activities demonstrate that the kgb is politically split and that the institution's power over the soviet press and over its own officers has drastically declined z h i z n m j published by the official communist youth organization and the party's central committee respectively the 20 senior kgb officers have defected to the west since 1980 this has led he contended to the transfer and sail to the west of the majority of secrets of soviet intelligence and the complete collapse of a huge number of spy networks unquote kalugin is in a position to know he was formerly a senior officer and perhaps the director of soviet foreign counter intelligence kalugin went on to contend that the kgb today maintains a pervasive presence in soviet life tapping telephones intimidating legislators and infiltrating most political organizations he claimed that other kgb officers secretly share his disdain for the

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secretly share his disdain for the agency and he called for the soviet equivalent of a congressional investigation of his old organization significantly kalugin has not at this writing been arrested or silenced and remains active on the moscow political scene the ex-kgb major general has emerged as a leader of the democratic platform quote-unquote the western oriented reform movement in the ussr i would interject that we've taken a look at that movement and it remains to be seen whether it's democratically oriented certainly the free congress foundation isn't i am to say the least highly skeptical about the real quote reform on quote nature of that movement as a result of the institutions and individuals that are involved with it notably fcf and its related elements continuing shortly after kalugin's expose the kgb's present director vladimir krutshkoff k-r-y-u-c-h-k-o-v denounced kalugin and his vestia also published by the communist party central committee rejected his criticisms and stripped him of his pension and medals in the process kgb chief kgb chief krutchkov laid out his own version of events stressing a list of kgb counter intelligence successes against western spies and people he described as domestic political extremists crew was appointed by gorbachev and appears to enjoy gorbachev gorbachev's support the reason that this is of more than passing interest is that the stability of nuclear weapons and other armed forces in the world today is based upon a balance of forces not the hegemony of any single power or group of powers to avoid a nuclear war each of the nuclear powers is driven to ensure that its own weapons are sufficiently secure against attack that they can be used to retaliate against any enemy and can deter him from attacking in the first place to achieve this each country must have confidence that its intelligence system is reasonably sound and that it can use its nuclear weapons if it chooses to do so these last several sentences again they are one of the most important

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they are one of the most important elements in this entire series radio free america 36. to avoid a nuclear war each of the nuclear powers is driven to ensure that its own weapons are sufficiently secure against attack that they can be used to retaliate against any enemy and can deter him from attacking in the first place to achieve this each country must have confidence that its intelligence system is reasonably sound and that it can use its nuclear weapons if it chooses to do so even in the present period of improved east-west cooperation if the nuclear balance of terror quote-unquote breaks down too rapidly or becomes massively unstable as old tensions recede the result could be a nuclear conflict disturbingly the soviet union's intelligence system appears to be in serious disarray today and may be getting worse the soviet leadership's confidence in their nuclear weapons must almost certainly have eroded considering that a state of near insurrection exists in part of the ball parts of the baltic states the ukraine azerbaijan and in other areas where soviet nuclear and military communications assets are located there will be serious reason for concern if the

ussr's ability to gather and analyze information completely disintegrates or if leaders of the ussr lose confidence in the security of their nuclear weapons these last several sentences again because they are absolutely pivotal even in the present period of improved east-west cooperation if the nuclear balance of terror breaks down too rapidly or becomes massively unstable as old tensions recede the result could be a nuclear conflict disturbingly the soviet union's intelligence system appears to be in serious disarray today and may be getting worse the soviet leadership's confidence in their nuclear weapons must almost certainly have eroded considering that a state of near insurrection exists in part of the baltic state parts of the baltic states the ukraine azerbaijan and

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bed nasty intelligence service are still affect officially intact by the way that's s l uzba or beijbegnosti b e z b e d n o s t i but both institutions continuing here but both institutions have been so deeply split by political ethnic and religious rivalries that the central government frequently seems to have broken down and the country may be headed for a division into two or three new states these factors strongly suggest that significant setbacks and soviet intelligence capabilities have taken place in the last year perhaps the most serious erosion of such facilities since the nazi invasion of the ussr in 1941 in eastern europe there is a clear crisis of morale among veterans of the old governments it is reasonable suspect it is reasonable to suspect that this has to a certain degree filtered into the ussr as well historically setbacks and demoralization of this type have often led to a jump in the number of defections and that seems to have been the case in 1989 and 1990. indirect evidence for this can be seen in the fact that for the first time in recent memory cia spokesman are beating the drums for an increase in quote human intelligence unquote budgets which are used primarily for maintenance of new agents in place and for the care and feeding of defectors us national security circles have for the most part warmly welcomed the unfolding crisis in eastern europe on the theory that any trouble for the soviets is a boon for the us the fact is however that the us has an interest in the stability of the ussr and even of the kgb if soviet intelligence capabilities continue to break down the result will be almost certainly greater it the result one more time if soviet intelligence capabilities continue to break down the result will almost certainly be greater instability and soviet behavior during the next global crisis regardless of how that conflict comes to pass and that means

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conflict comes to pass and that means increased danger and still more perilous u.s behavior as well and what that last sentence in a way could be said to be the the thesis statement of this entire broadcast that is to say the last six weeks combined into you into rfa-36 if soviet intelligence capabilities continue to break down the result will almost certainly be greater instability and soviet behavior during the next global crisis regardless of how that conflict comes to pass and that means increased danger and still more perilous u s behavior as well and i think it's worth noting here that uh this journalist operating under that pseudonym uh notes that this the recent events in the soviet union in eastern europe represents the most serious compromising of soviet intelligence since the nazi invasion of the soviet union in 1941 one of the main points that i have made in this broadcast and that i stated a short time ago is that basically what we are seeing in the soviet union soviet union in eastern europe at least to a certain extent is an actualization of hitler's program in that part of the world hitler broke up yugoslavia into its component republics there was pressure to do that again with obvious interference from old ustashi and abn related elements he broke up czechoslovakia we're seeing uh the slovak world congress and residual link elements once again coming to the fore in czechoslovakia and advocating for the secession of slovakia from czechoslovakia the abn formed an alliance with hitler in 1943 once again as uh its agenda has been to break up the soviet union obviously that agenda may very well uh take well it if the kgb and soviet military do not intervene it probably is going to take place uh it remains to be seen exactly what the future holds but again i am personally uh fearful of what the future holds a nuclear war obviously isn't going to benefit anybody and one wonders whether there are elements in this country though that would like to

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this country though that would like to see a third world war certainly there are elements that would like to see a return to the cold war because it means serious megabucks for them as well as continued employment for the u.s intelligence apparat which would have to combat the soviet menace quote unquote once again i wonder what secret weaponry we have that we have not been told about there is a huge pentagon black budget quote unquote as it has been termed and i wonder what sort of toys we have that the public has not been told about perhaps uh there are weapons in existence that would bo embolden the united states to perhaps even think it could fight a third world war it remains to be seen i think in particular the compromising of soviet nuclear weapons is something to be on the alert for it remains to be seen whether uh some of the dissident nationalists can get their hands on those devices but that's not a very appetizing prospect if it happens i'd like to read an article that appeared in the san francisco sunday examiner and chronicle uh today is sunday april 7th 1991 it is in today's paper in today's edition of the san francisco uh sunday examiner in cron this is a londoned in london independent story dateline washington it's headlined us concerned on soviet arms the united states fearing a possible breakdown of kremlin rule is considering lending the soviet union advanced safety devices that would prevent nationalist or terrorist groups from using captured nuclear weapons experts say that the soviet union has removed almost all nuclear weapons from two areas where central rule is weak the three baltic states and the volatile caucasian republics of armenia azerbaijan and georgia but others remain in unstable areas the tricky question is the ukraine and kazakhstan says sven kramer a u.s analyst and presidential advisor there are thought to be thousands of nuclear weapons in these two republics both of which are internally divided and edging away from soviet rule well it remains to be seen whether or not these devices are in fact provided

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not these devices are in fact provided to the ussr i noted here that sven kramer is the person who uh commented on this sven kramer is the son of fritz kramer sven kramer as a key national security council was for many years a key national security council member his father fritz kramer was for many years the plans officer for the united states

army from 1949 through 1970 he also uh was a fellow who boosted henry kissinger into prominence spender fritz kramer was a key official with the 970th counter intelligence corps during and after world war ii that was one of the units most responsible for recruiting nazi war criminals into the galen organization and the cia notably klaus barbie and otto scorsani among others and the late may brussel has developed a very compelling information that in fact fritz kramer is the same fritz kramer who served as chief of staff for the sixth ss panzer army in germany during world war ii although that fritz kramer supposedly died in 1959 may has obtained very compelling photographic evidence that in fact fritz kramer is the same fritz kramer that served hitler so loyally and obviously this is an individual who has uh retained a presence in the united states interesting to see sven kramer the person who's commenting on this particular situation but i think the fact that the united states is even considering providing these devices is indicative of the degree of uh instability in the soviet union it is to be hoped that elements within our national security establishment would conclude that destabilizing the soviet union is likely to prove dangerous as that article uh the balance of terror would indicate it remains to be seen however exactly what comes of this the final element in this ongoing of this this series in radio free america 36 developed over the last six weeks is also uh in an article in today's san francisco sunday examiner and chronicle and today once again being sunday april 7th of 1991 for the benefit of people benefit of people who hear this by tape this is an article that is a reuters

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this is an article that is a reuters story at state line washington and headlined nixon discounts soviet union as a superpower and it reads as follows the soviet union once branded an evil empire quote unquote by former president ronald reagan is fast becoming an irrelevant empire quote unquote largely because of its economic weakness says ex-president richard nixon nixon the only president to resign from office has just ended a two-week visit to the soviet union that included talks with soviet president mikhael gorbachev and visits to three separatist republics lithuania the ukraine and georgia quote in today's world an empire that has only military power and is a third world economic power falling hopelessly behind will eventually become irrelevant unquote nixon said in the april 15 issue of u.s news and world report nixon said the soviet economic crisis is so severe it is diminishing the importance of a strategic arms agreement with moscow one more time nixon said the soviet economic crisis is so severe it is diminishing the importance of a strategic arms agreement with moscow quote in view of the enormous economic problems the soviet union has they are not going to be able to afford the expenditures necessary for military modernization well it remains to be seen just how the soviet military responds to that but uh i i do it again that perhaps they will simply uh give up the ghost roll over and uh and die but uh i wouldn't necessarily bet on that and the soviet high command has already expressed great reservations about falling behind the united states militarily or further falling behind the united states militarily the soviet union has always a popular cold war mythology to the contrary notwithstanding that a cold war mythology largely generated by the galen organization uh the united states has always been well ahead of the soviet union and armaments so that the soviet arms effort in the post-world war ii period has essentially been to stay within hailing distance of the united states so that they could not contemplate an actual attack one wonders

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contemplate an actual attack one wonders exactly what the effect of the uh disparity in the u.s and uh soviet military power will be but it is not as the balance of terror article by quote boris badenoff indicates a situation which is likely to benefit either country those are worth noting again the success of the full court press described in the sean gervais article in the uh in that article the full court press in the covert action information bulletin number 35. again i don't pretend to have all of the answers in this situation i don't know how it's going to resolve itself but what i have attempted to do in this program is to lay out what i think is going on what has gone on and what may go on once again obviously a lion's share of the credit goes to the various people uh at covert action information board and the people who have contributed to this critical critical issue of caib i will give the address once again covert action

information bulletin po box 34583 washington dc 20043 for those of you who would like to actually order covert action information bulletin 35 there is at least one more article in this particular issue that i will be doing in a future archive series called how the united states lost the second world war and that is one that we will come to in the future but uh i have attempted to supplement their work with my own analysis and in particular the role that the gulf war has played in this and i've already indicated that i feel that that is an essential element not only of the full court press but of the ongoing destabilization of the ussr obviously the people at caib were not able to include this and i've also obviously included information such as the information about the prometheus league background of our abn etcetera that they were not able to get to and that is the formal conclusion of uh radio free america 36 the six-part installment have done in six installments the destabilization of the ussr in eastern europe a prelude to world war iii and the boris bad enough

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world war iii and the boris bad enough article i think indicates why i have put a question mark at the end of that i don't know whether or not that's going to happen but i think there are ominous possibilities on the horizon and in particular the fact that there are elements in our country that would like nothing better than to see a return of the cold war is one of the things that i think bodes very poorly for the future